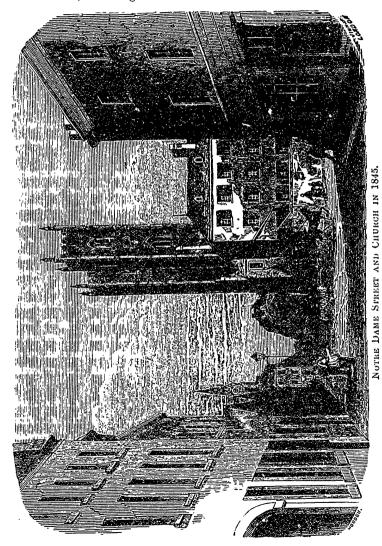
receive the loyal address of the Assembly. Although escorted by dragoons, he was greeted with showers of stones, and with difficulty escaped bodily injury. Not wishing to exasperate the excited mob, Lord Elgin left the Government House unobserved



and was driven rapidly in the direction of Sherbrooke Street to the north of the city. His escape being discovered, a hot pursuit was made in cabs, caleghes, everything that had wheels.