

TRIAL OF ALCOHOL.

Pursuant to notice, this important Trial was commenced on Tuesday evening, the 16th March, 1852, in the City of Quebec, under the auspices of Gough Division of the Sons of Temperance, and continued for three nights. Russell's large Concert Hall, was elegantly fitted up as a Court, and was crowded to excess each evening:—

Chief Justice,	Mr. JOHN MORPHY.
Puisne Judges,	Messrs. KEMPT & MATHISON.
Clerk of Crown,	Mr. RICHD. J. SHAW.
Sheriff,	Mr. P. LESUEUR.
Crier,	Mr. J. BUXTON.
Attorney General,	Mr. THOMAS WHITE.
Junior Counsel for Prosecution,	Mr. BENJ. COLE.
Senior Counsel for Prisoner,	Mr. J. H. CRAIG.
Junior do do	Mr. JAMES BRENT.

All having taken their proper stations, the Court opened at seven o'clock.

Clerk of Crown—"Crier, make proclamation."

Crier—"Hear ye! hear ye! all manner of people who have any thing to do with the trial of the Queen against Alcohol, come forward, and you shall be heard. Long live the Queen."

Clerk of the Crown—"Crier, call the prisoner."

Crier—"Ebrietes Alcohol! Ebrietes Alcohol! come and appear; save you and your bail, as you are bound to do this day, or forfeit your recognizances."

Clerk of the Crown—"Crier, call Phill Skelton and Bryan Kelly, the prisoner's sureties."

Crier—"Phill Skelton! Phill Skelton! come into Court and bring forth the body of Ebrietes Alcohol, as you are bound to do this day, or forfeit your recognizance."

"Bryan Kelly! Bryan Kelly! come into Court, and bring forth the body of Ebrietes Alcohol, as you are bound to do this day, or forfeit your recognizance."

Counseller Brent—"The Prisoner appears, my Lord."

Clerk of the Crown—"Mr. Sheriff, put forward the Prisoner."

(Here a cruet, with three decanters containing Brandy, Wine and Gin, was placed on a small table, in an elevated position, which caused a roar of laughter.)

Clerk of the Crown—"Ebrietes Alcohol, of the Town of Drunkenness, in the Parish of Dissipation, Spirit-vender, hold up your right hand."