## Proceedings of Dental Societies.

#### Eastern Ontario Dental Association.

The sixteenth annual convention of the Eastern Ontario Dental Association will be held in Smith's Falls, on Wednesday and Thursday, June 26th and 27th. We trust that you will endeavor to attend and assist in making this the most successful meeting in the history of the Association. If you have anything that would be of interest to the members, kindly communicate with the secretary and satisfactory arrangements will be made for placing it before the Association. Programme of the meeting will be forwarded you so that you may come prepared to discuss the different papers. Again soliciting your interest in this Convention,

We remain yours truly,

STANLEY BURNS, President. GEO. H. WEAGANT, Secretary.

### Code of Ethics of the American Dental Society.

# ARTICLE I.—THE DUTIES OF THE PROFESSION TO THEIR PATIENTS.

Section 1.—The dentist should fully recognize the obligation involved in the discharge of his duties towards his patient. As they are, in most cases, unable to correctly estimate the character of his operations, his own sense of right must guarantee faithfulness in their performance.

Sec. 2.—The dentist should lend his influence to encourage a sound dental and medical education, and to uphold in the community correct views of the powers and the limitations of dental science and art. It is not to be expected that the patient will possess a very extended or accurate knowledge of professional matters. The dentist should make due allowance for this, patiently explaining many things which may seem quite clear to himself. He should encourage no false hopes by promising success when, in the nature of the case, there is uncertainty.

#### ARTICLE II.—MAINTAINING PROFESSIONAL CHARACTER.

Section 1.—In his relation with another dental practitioner and his patient, the dentist should be governed by strict rules of honor