

CLAY PIPES.

On this class of workmanship the Indian has employed his best talents as a mechanic and an artist. As mentioned elsewhere, the flared, flanged or trumpet-mouthed form was in considerable repute, but the adaptations of design to human and lower animal forms are frequently very ingenious and sometimes amusing.



FIG. 10. (Full Size.)

Fig. 10 may be taken as a typical illustration of what, from the frequency of its appearance in the neighborhood of the Georgian Bay, is sometimes spoken of as "The Huron Pipe," although many of them have a sharper and longer outward curve, giving the mouth a broad, flattened look.

The specimen figured is from the farm of Mr. James Rae, Beverly township, a considerable distance from the ground occupied by the Hurons.

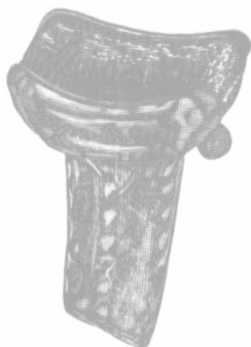


FIG. 11. (Full Size.)

In Fig. 11 we have the flared mouth modified in such a manner as to give the outside a quadrangular form. The lower part of the bowl is relieved by means of