

only in Dakota Territory, more than a thousand miles distant ; native copper from the shores of Lake Superior, ornamented sea-shells from the Gulf and south Atlantic coasts, mica from North Carolina, exquisite polished implements of cannel coal, pearls from the southern rivers, implements of polished hematite from distant iron mines, and of steatite and quartz from the Alleghany range."

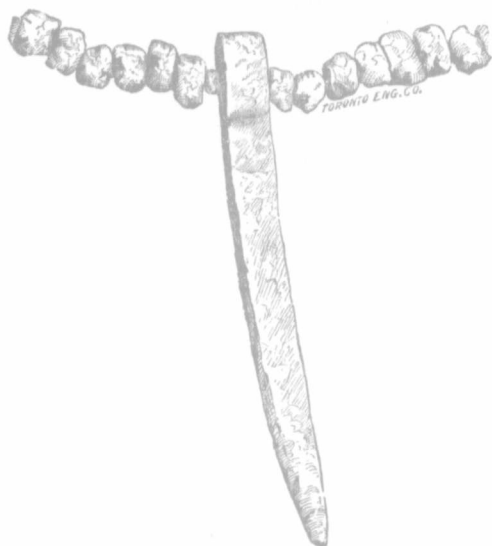


FIG. 73. (Full Size.)

From the Pike farm on Wolfe Island, we have upwards of one hundred copper beads. As may be seen from Fig. 73, which illustrates fourteen of them, they vary considerably in size. They are in excellent preservation. Perhaps this is on account of their great thickness in proportion to the size of the holes. Along with these were three spike-like specimens, one of which is shown in the illustration. The eye is formed by the end being bent. In our show-case, the beads and the three long pieces are strung to form a necklace, the latter at nearly equal distances apart ; but I have not been able to learn how far this arrangement corresponds with the way they were disposed when found. Altogether, these form a most valuable addition to our very modest collection of copper articles.



FIG. 74.

This cut represents nine cylindrical copper beads just as they were found in the Tremont Park mound, Tidd's Island. They were lying on a piece of the original hide or
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