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This is the second of three advertisements showing the large expansion programme for 1951 of -

## BASE METALS MINING CORPORATION, LIMITED

Operating Four Base Metal Mines in British Columbia



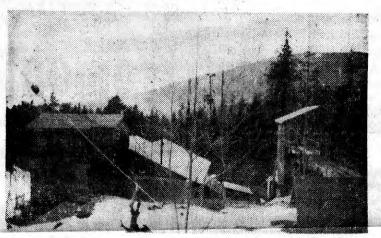
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General View

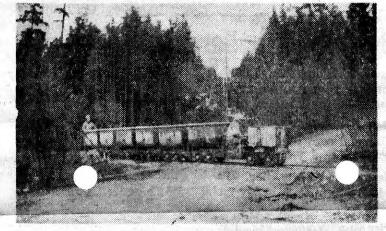


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Office and Other Buildings



Top of Mill Building



Ore Train and Power Line

Views of Vancouver Island Base Mei Limited

## VANCOUVER ISLAND BASE METALS LIMITED

Controlled by Base Metals Mining Corporation, Limited, which holds 1,750,000 shares of 2,150,005 shares issued capital

**LOCATION**—The property includes the adjoining and formerly productive Lenora, Tyee and Richard III copper-zinc-gold-silver mines, near Duncan, on Vancouver Island, B.C.

**PRODUCTION RECORD**—Prior to 1909, these properties produced 35,000 ozs. gold; 738,000 ozs. silver and 19,078,000 lbs. of copper. At that time zinc in ore was a detriment being penalized by the smelter and no attempt was made to mine ore high in zinc. In 1934-44 the property was operated by Twin J. Mines, under arrangement with Wartime Metals Corporation, and produced 3.025,771 lbs. zinc; 544,465 lbs. copper and \$63,000 in gold and silver.

The property is equipped with electrically powered mining plant and a 150-ton daily capacity mill.

**RESUMING PRODUCTION**—Production is being resumed and expected to start around May 1st. Copper concentrates will be shipped to the smelter at Tacoma and zinc concentrates to Trail, B.C.

**ORE DEVELOPMENTS**—Ore indicated and partially outlined before present preparations for production started was estimated to average 0.24 oz. (\$8.40) gold; 4.5 ozs. silver; 2.7% copper; 10.6% zinc and 0.66% lead, for a gross value of approximately \$69.00 per ton at current metal prices.

Development is extending the previously proven ore in the north orebody, above the 265-ft. level, in the Tyee section. Recent work has shown widths of 9 to 11 ft. of good grade.

Ore has been located in the south orebody, averaging 0.28 oz. (\$9.80) gold; 5.4 ozs. silver; 4.25% copper; 7.2% zinc and 0.75% lead, or approximately \$66.37 per ton, across 5.0 ft. Preparations for mining this ore are now under way.

Ore of good grade has also been indicated by diamond drilling in the Richard III mine below any known former workings in this section. A drive from the Tyee workings has been extended to develop this ore.

**NEW ORE POSSIBILITIES**—The management reports good possibilities for proving additional ore and after further development an estimate of ore reserves can be made.

FINANCING—Finances for developing and bringing the property into production have been provided by Base Metals Mining Corporation, Limited.

**MANAGEMENT**—Operations are under the direction of Chamberlin Management Corporation, Limited, of Noranda, Quebec, and C. Rutherford, Mining Engineer, Vancouver, B.C.

The third of this series of advertisements will deal with the Company's wholly owned Cork-Province Mine on which the new 100-ton mill is scheduled to start production this month.

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