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EXPLORATION PROSPECTS ON RISE

Fresh hopes of new mines

THE region's minerals frenzy just keeps growing.

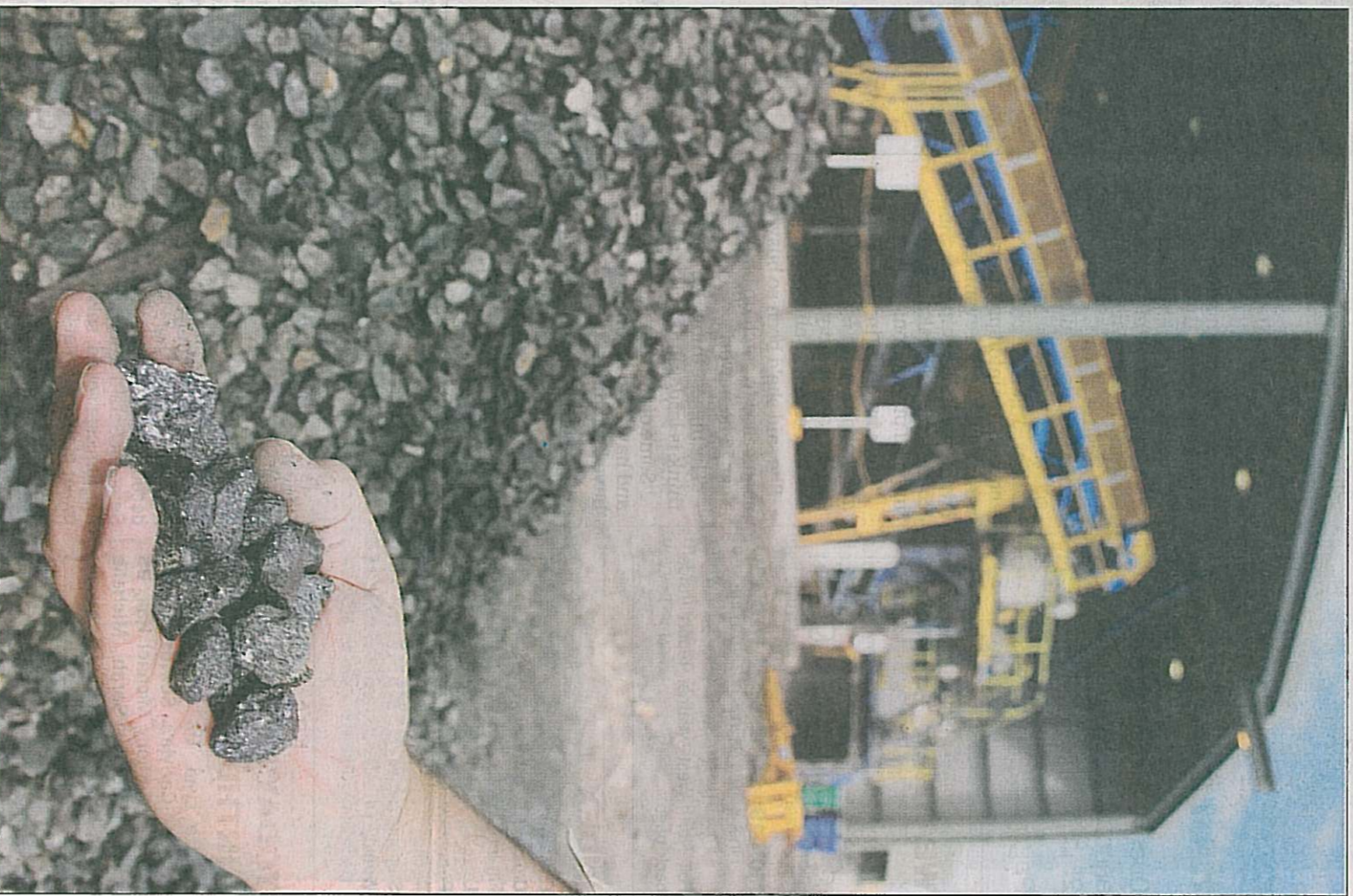
Exploration helicopters are seemingly everywhere in our skies and recently listed Macquarie Harbour Mining plans to raise funds to fully explore four exciting prospects south of Strahan.

Among its prospects is a copper and

gold project it says has mineralisation in a similar style to the veteran Mt Lyell mine.

It also has a 30km area with nickel sulfide mineralisation it says is comparable to Allegiance's Avebury deposit, which led to a major mine development.

■ **SEAN FORD reports, Pages 4-5.**



EXCITING TIMES: The North-West and West could provide more wealth if exploration uncovers new mineral deposits. Picture: Grant Wells.

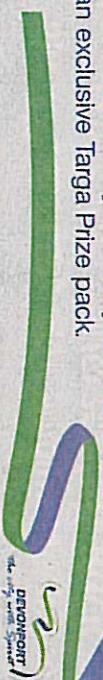


Devonport the City with Spirit

Targa Prize Pack ENTRY FORM

Drop this entry form in to the entry box in Devonport Mall
(located outside The Hub Arcade)

- * East Devonport stage starts at 11am
- * Lunch stop at Harris Scarfe car park from 11:30
- * Fill out the attached entry form for your chance to win an exclusive Targa Prize pack.



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SEE Sat, April 12
Or Fri, April 11
The Advocate for your entry form