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ON THE COVER: Michigan's copper mines on the southern shore of Lake Superior are some of the oldest in the world. In this issue evidence is presented that demonstrates lead pollution from prehistoric copper mining can be detected in lake sediments from 8,000 to 5,000 years ago.

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