

Q Is this ore in Balmatia soluble or not?

A It is fairly soluble.

Q How soluble is it?

A Not as soluble as the British Guiana ore.

Q You don't know how much per ton it would cost to make alumina out of that ore?

A I do not know.

Q How many tons of alumina are there in bauxite ore in Balmatia?

A You mean the whole of Balmatia.

Q Let us take the whole of Balmatia?

A Runs into a good many million tons.

Q How many?

A I would not like to venture a guess on that.

Q You don't know do you?

A I have seen a number of governmental estimates.

Q Let us have one?

A How much is it in tons?

Q Yes?

A I could not tell you, I don't remember the figures.

Q Not knowing that can you undertake to pass upon the amount of commercially available bauxite in Balmatia?

A I have the figures in various reports. If I were making a report on the situation I would have to consult the reports and take the figures from the reports.