FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

## SEARCH FOR WEALTH

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metais are known to exist, the search
for these, espectally for gold-bearing
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pose of operating in the mining dis-
tricts of Oregon, file their attives of
incorporation. There have been hun-
dreds of these crempanes eorganued incorporation. There have been hun-
dreds of these companies organzed
during the past year, and the have
commenced operations, with the result that the development, of the golth dis-
triets has been pushed further in the
last tweive montha than was ever done rast twelve monthe than was.ever done
In ten yeart' time in the past. One
reason for this was the stimulus given
all business in the west by
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mines and mining properties, they also
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telegraph and telephone lines, rapliraads and tramways, and in most cases they
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tion of the country tn which they ar
located, and they thus become a grea
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state's resources, to the end that they
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