The town was platted by R, F. Stubblefield and John Zorcher in 1886, each the town its present prosperity, The town is well haid out, its strects
are wide and crossing each other at right angles. The finest building the iollowing busine Bank. Real Rytute Dealer
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It will thus be seen that its growth 350 . phenomenal when its isolation from taken into consideration. The last legislature granted the
town a charter and the following officers were elected: Mayor,
Church; recorder, James
marshal, L. R. Irwin; councilmen Zooch, J. P. Gardner,
fielh and W. H. Miller.

## In July 88 , by a vote of the citizens of the county, the county seat was

 changed from Joseph to Enterprise.There are a number of fine brick busithe past year and which would be an ornament to larger places. A number of new business places are are bring built.
place of some considerable importance as it is not only the county seat, but it is the center of a large and Alourishing
farming and stoek raising community. Since Enterprise was started, quite number of stock raisers, who have be-
come quite woll to do in this world's goots, have moved into the grow-
ing city and are now reaping their reearly industry.
er power, part of which is used in
running one of the finest roilerprocess
flouring mills in the state, the flour flouring mills in the state, the flour
made being of the best quality, which, in part, is from the superiority of
wheat grown in Wallowa county There are a number of saw mills withwhech furnish the people with lumber. The Wallowa National Bank is also
one of tho institutions of Enterprise It was urganized July 9,1888 , with a eapital stoek of $\$ 50,000$. The officera are a8 follows: IL. M. Stecl, president;
J. M. Charelh, vice.president ; W. Holmes, cashicr; J. M. Church, R. M. Steel, T. H. Veasy, J. P. Gardner and
Chas. Goodnough, directors. The
bank stock $10 \$ 100,000$ owing to the amount
of business whin tanguine expectations. The officers and managers are ever in the front
ranks in public matters the their object the upbuilding of the county or town. They have purchased of the M. \& M. Co, the building which they now occupy.
The citizens
into the city a system of water woks by which water will be taken from th Wallowa siver for city purposes.
They have a good two story
school building and an excellent sehool has been maintained during the past
yoar.. There are in the district 141 children of school age and the records show an average attendance of 100 pu -
pils. Two efficient teachers have bee emplured and the course of study is thorough and practical.
Evidences of a lost race in Washoe
valley are spoken of by the Virginia Chronicle in the following manner: "In tinking an artesian well near the Winters ranch, in Washoe valley, at a piece of wood and a pine cone, beluw which was a bed of charcoal and cinders, was pived there many years ago. The sand is full of mica, and nothing but a human hand ever built a fire in such
a place, ns there is no nign of volcanic
action."



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