



HISTORY OF WELD COUNTY TOWNS

ALDEN – 1893

Ghost Town in Weld County

Named for the Alden brothers, Charles, John and Ralph, local sugar beet farmers, Alden became a sugar beet dump and siding on the Crow Creek Branch of the Union Pacific Railroad in 1910. It remained active as a siding and beet dump until 1965.

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