

APPENDIX A

Washington County did not exist in 1883, was first incorporated in 1887. At that time, it had a considerably different look than it presently does.

By 1889, most of the counties in the area had been incorporated but many of them did not look as they do now. Washington County was a much smaller county in 1889.

Washington County did take its present shape in 1903.

From 1883 until 1887, present-day Washington County was a part of Weld and Arapahoe Counties.

At that time, Weld County was huge, covering an area from the Front Range to the State line.

In 1887, Washington and Logan Counties were divided off of Weld County.

Washington County ran down to the baseline and eastward to the State line.

In 1903, Arapahoe County was divided into Adams and Arapahoe counties and it stopped at the western border of Washington County.

The Southern borders of Washington and Yuma Counties were expanded to their present-day locations.

