

## APPENDIX I

### List of Businesses in the City of Argentine in 1908<sup>1</sup>

#### Asylums, Convents

Benedictine Sisters Home  
713 Strong Avenue

#### Bakers

David Holt  
217 Silver Avenue

B. Kolby Laswell  
132 E. Ruby Avenue

#### Bands

Scales Concert Band  
117 W. Metropolitan Avenue

#### Banks

Argentine State Bank  
NW Corner 6<sup>th</sup>

First State Bank of Argentine  
307 W. Metropolitan Avenue

#### Barbers

Edward Altringer  
5 N. Spear Avenue

David W. Carter  
117 ½ Silver Avenue

James King  
129 Silver Avenue

Frank McCullough  
827 Strong Avenue

A.C. McKinney  
217 W. Metropolitan Avenue

David M. Mitchell  
205 W. Metropolitan Avenue

Bert Parks

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<sup>1</sup> This list was compiled from the Argentine section (pp. 436-439) of Gould's 1908 City Directory for the Greater Kansas City Area, published by the Gould Publishing Company, Kansas City, Missouri, 1908. Microfilm on file at Kansas City, KS Public Library, 625 Minnesota Avenue, Kansas City, Kansas, 66112.

117 N. 1<sup>st</sup>

Charles B. Riggert  
16 N. Spear Avenue

Robert Slater  
10 S. Spear Avenue

Peter Spohrer  
815 Strong Avenue

Robert J. Venerable  
230 Silver Avenue

#### Billiard Halls

Edward Altringer  
5 N. Spear Avenue

Frank X. Egan  
24 N. Spear Avenue

Thomas M. Lynch  
101 W. Metropolitan Avenue

Frank McCullough  
827 Strong Avenue

Edward Walton  
117 W. Metropolitan Avenue

Cydnor I. Wortman  
203 W. Metropolitan Avenue

#### Blacksmiths

Jeremiah Callaghan  
124 Silver Avenue

Orville C. Lang  
816 Strong Avenue

Peter Starks  
26 S. Spear Avenue

#### Boarding Houses

Jennie Burkett  
212 N. 11<sup>th</sup>

Susie Busby  
19 N. 6<sup>th</sup>

Moat C. Comley  
301 Argentine Blvd.

Lutie D. Hanna  
315 S. Ash

Sarah E. Harrow  
134 Maple

Kaw Valley House  
9 N. 5<sup>th</sup>

Samuel Reeves  
49 S. 5<sup>th</sup>

Hattie Williams  
609 Strong Ave.

Myrtle Yearger  
191 S. 1<sup>st</sup>

Boots and Shoes

H. R. Babcock  
131 Silver Avenue

Samuel J. Beach  
622 Strong Avenue

James Beale  
N. Spear

Andrew Brown  
26 Strong Avenue

Charles Damps  
21 W. Metropolitan Avenue

John E. Ferreira  
822 Strong Avenue

William H. Fields  
120 W. Ruby Avenue

George S. Govier  
539 Strong Avenue

Frank Hunze  
219 Strong Avenue

Marx Levi  
223 W. Metropolitan Avenue

Elias H. York  
516 E. Ruby Avenue

Builders Supplies

William E. Drollinger  
417 W. Metropolitan Avenue

Building and Loan Associations

Argentine Bldg & Loan Association  
303 W. Metropolitan Avenue

Buildings and Halls

Ancient Order United Workmen Hall

105-107 Silver Avenue

Borgstede Hall  
105-107 Silver Avenue

City Hall  
Silver Avenue – SW Corner 4<sup>th</sup>

City Jail  
Basement City Hall

Connors Building  
1 N. Spear Avenue

Eagles Hall  
221 W. Metropolitan Avenue

Harmer's Hall  
127 W. Metropolitan Avenue

King Building  
543 Strong Avenue

Lapham's Hall  
842 Strong Avenue

Maccabees Hall  
125-127 W. Metropolitan Avenue

Masonic Hall  
2<sup>nd</sup> SE Corner Metropolitan Avenue

Masonic Hall (Colored)  
131 Silver Avenue

Metropolitan Building  
125-127 W. Metropolitan Avenue

Metropolitan Hall  
125-127 W. Metropolitan Avenue

Railway YMCA Building  
25 N. 6<sup>th</sup>

St. John's Hall  
19 N. 8<sup>th</sup>

Young Building  
537 Strong Avenue

Cemeteries

Argentine Cemetery  
Shawnee Blvd. SW Corner Gibbs Road

Maple Hill  
Shawnee Blvd. SE Corner New Shawnee Rd

Cement Works

Drollinger Cement Works

917 W. Metropolitan Avenue

Chaney A. Hartzler, Pastor

Chemicals

Cigars & Tobacco

United Zinc Chemical Company  
Kansas Ave, ½ mile West of Kaw River

J. O. Gaskill & Co.  
231 W. Metropolitan Avenue

Christian Associations

Charles M. Riddell  
543 Strong Avenue

Railway Young Men's Christian Assn  
25 N. 6<sup>th</sup>

Charles B. Riggert  
16 N. Spear Avenue

Churches

Robert Slater  
10 S. Spear Avenue

First Baptist Church  
45 S. 6<sup>th</sup>

Clothing

Primitive Baptist Church  
Spear Ave NE Corner Kelley Avenue

Cydnor T. Wortman  
203 W. Metropolitan Ave

Second Baptist Church  
Ruby Ave NE Corner 4<sup>th</sup>

Marx Levi  
223 W. Metropolitan Ave

First Christian Church  
Metropolitan Ave NE Corner Manvel  
Rev. Frank L. Graham, Pastor

Clubs

First Congregational Church  
W. Ruby Ave SE Corner 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Rev. Jasper C. Warren, Pastor

Commercial Club  
City Hall Building

Episcopal Church  
131 N. Hickory

R. R. Club  
Sec 202 N. 4<sup>th</sup>

Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of  
Later Day Saints  
12<sup>th</sup> SE Corner Powell

Coal

Immanuel Evangelical Church (German)  
Metropolitan Ave SW Corner 6<sup>th</sup>  
Rev. August H. Jacobs, Pastor

M. L. Butcher  
529 W. Metropolitan Ave

African Methodist Episcopal  
325 W. Ruby Ave  
Rev. George A. Grithith, Pastor

William E. Drollinger  
417 W. Metropolitan Ave

Methodist Episcopal Church  
511 W. Metropolitan Ave  
Rev. De Kalb Burnham, Pastor

Frisbie Brothers  
817 Strong Ave

First Presbyterian Church  
W. Metropolitan NW Corner 8<sup>th</sup>

W. J. Ritter  
425 W. Metropolitan Ave

St. John's Roman Catholic Church  
Rev. Louis Beck, Pastor

W. F. Sable  
115 E. Metropolitan Ave

First Church of Christ in Christian Union  
1213 Powell Ave.

Confectionery

Alfred S. Curtis  
Strong Ave SE Corner 11<sup>th</sup>

Free Gospel Mission  
823 Strong Avenue

Harry M. Herr  
207 W. Metropolitan Ave

Kolby Laswell  
132 E. Ruby Ave

Belle Wright

209 W. Metropolitan Ave

Rosedale Rd NE S. 1<sup>st</sup>

Contractors-Carpenter

Frederick J. Payne  
220 S. Mulberry

Benjamin J. Armstrong  
115 N. Taylor

Contractors-Paving

Sparrel Blankenship  
14<sup>th</sup> W. Ruby Ave

Charles E. Dodson  
334 E. Ruby Ave

Louis N. Dawson  
249 S. Hickory

Contractors-Stone

James I. Depul  
1020 Strong Ave

Enright Brothers  
Ruby Ave Betw 4<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup>

Thomas H. Johnston  
121 N. 10<sup>th</sup>

George R. OLevi  
217 W. Elmwood Ave

John W. Leideburg  
204 S. 7<sup>th</sup>

Alfred E. Payne  
S 14<sup>th</sup> SE Corner Metropolitan Ave

Peter B. Messinger  
S 14<sup>th</sup> NE W Ruby Ave

Contractors & Building

James Morrison  
365 S. 1<sup>st</sup>

William A. Drollinger  
417 W. Metropolitan Ave

Gordon Spraker  
817 Connor Ave

Franklin G. Hawkins  
20 N. 10<sup>th</sup>

Frank Webster  
104 Silver Ave

William H. Tanner  
132 W. Ruby Ave

Contractors-General

Louis C. Base  
1132 Strong Ave

Dairies

Charles Johnson  
New Shawnee Rd ft S. 2<sup>nd</sup>

Joseph H. Beazell  
303 Shawnee Boul

Oscar Johnson  
New Shawnee Rd ft S. 2<sup>nd</sup>

George T. Brown  
4<sup>th</sup> SW Corner Lawrence Ave

John H. McMahon  
Ft S. 1<sup>st</sup>

Luther J. Cochran  
50 S. 7<sup>th</sup>

Christ Hazel Mikkelsen  
SE Corner New Shawnee

Foster and Moore  
Rear 18 N 6<sup>th</sup>

Oscar F. Hazel Nordwall  
Corner Rosedale Road

J. Clarence Kingscott  
14<sup>th</sup> NE Barber Ave

Oscar H. Olson  
Metropolitan Ave nr 15<sup>th</sup>

Judson Q. Marsh  
423 W. Metropolitan Ave

Marion O. Walker  
Ft S. 1<sup>st</sup>

Lawton L. Maxson, Jr.  
822 Powell Ave

Dentists

Ellis D. House  
10 S. Spear Ave

William Middlekauff

Ralph E. Spencer  
1 N. Spear Ave

#### Dressmakers

Blanche Anderes  
1118 W. Ruby Ave

Rose Gordom  
332 Harrison

Anita Simons  
E 18 S. 8<sup>th</sup>

#### Druggists

J. D. Gaskill & Co.  
231 W. Metropolitan Ave

William McGeorge  
W. Metropolitan Ave SE Corner S. 2<sup>nd</sup>

J. C. Rawless & Co.  
4 S. Spear Ave and 846 Strong Ave

Santa Fe Pharmacy  
1 N. Spear Ave

#### Dry Goods

George H. Adams  
1020 Strong Ave.

H. R. Babcock  
131 Silver Ave

May A. Foster  
222 N. Spear Ave

George S. Govier  
539 Strong Ave

Byron LaGrange  
810 Strong Ave

E. B. Walden  
125 Silver Ave

#### Dryers & Cleaners

Ed Wilson  
200 Silver Ave

#### Elevators

Santa Fe Elevator  
½ Mile W of Santa Fe depot

Santa Fe Elevator  
1 ½ mi NW of Argentine

#### Express Companies

Wells Fargo & Co. Express  
N. Spear Ave and Santa Fe Tracks

#### Feed

M. L. Butcher  
529 W. Metropolitan Ave

W. F. Sable  
115 E Metropolitan Ave

#### Florists

Cyrus Earnest  
251 S 2<sup>nd</sup>

Harvey G. Hughes Hazel  
NW Corner Argentine Rd

William F. Rosengarten  
2000 N Spear Ave

#### Freight Depots

Atchison Topeka & Santa Fe RR  
Spear Ave and Santa Fe tracks

#### Fruit Growers

G. Frederick Espenlaub  
Argentine Rd near Ash

Joseph McMahan  
Ft S. 1<sup>st</sup>

Thomas McMahan  
Ft S. 1<sup>st</sup>

Thomas F. McMahan  
Ft S. 1<sup>st</sup>

#### Furnished Rooms

Margaret M. Brown  
14 N Manvel Ave

#### Furniture

Glanville Bros.  
311 W Metropolitan Ave

Thomas Harmer  
107 Silver Ave

#### Gardners

William Bacon Hazel  
Nr Rosedale Rd

Josiah S. Burleson  
Mulberry nr Rosedale Rd

J. H. Borgstede  
211 Silver Ave

Sylvester A. Fitzgerald  
Argentine Blvd NW Corner 14<sup>th</sup>

Camp Zana  
306 W. Ruby Ave

John B. Frohoff  
Carlisle Rd nr Kansas Ave

Z. D. Chamberlin  
541 Strong Ave

Edward M. Fuller  
Hazel nr Rosedale Rd

Bert Cheatwood  
820 Strong Ave

George T. Isom  
906 Willard Ave

J. B. Christenson  
141 S 1<sup>st</sup>

Theophilus G. Jarvis  
Kansas Ave SE Corner Carlisle Rd  
(NOTE: Carlisle Rd. is 42<sup>nd</sup> St in the year 2003.)

James C. Crawford  
531 E Metropolitan Ave

William T. Jarvis  
Kansas Ave SE Corner Carlisle Rd

L. G. Eike  
225 Silver Ave and 845 Strong Ave

Frederick Jordon  
1309 Strong Ave

Willard H. Ekdahl  
401 E Metropolitan Ave

Ralph S. McKee  
1309 Strong Ave

Edward Evans  
12 N. Spear Ave

Jones Mitchell  
319 N. Spear Ave

John P. Evans  
2 S Spear Ave

Samuel Mobley  
Nr Power Pl

May A. Foster  
222 N Spear Ave

Frederick Wendt  
Argentine Rural Route No. 2

Charles W. Green  
101 Silver Ave

General Merchandise  
Henry S. Richardson  
South side Kansas Ave opp United Zinc &  
Copper Co's Plant

Harry D. Jones  
410 W Metropolitan Ave

Gent's Furnishing Goods

H. R. Babcock  
131 Silver Ave

Lepham Brothers  
842 Strong Ave

John E. Ferreira  
822 Strong Ave

Edward Batthews  
Sherman Corner Kansas Avenue

Charles M. Riddell  
543 Strong Ave

M. B. Meyer  
1315 W Ruby Ave

E. B. Walden  
125 Silver Ave

Patrick O'Farrell  
] 928 Strong Ave

Grocers

George H. Adams  
1020 Strong Ave

James W. Pinkard  
132 Silver Ave

W. J. Ritter  
425 W. Metropolitan Ave

Sables Grocery  
102 Silver Ave

Charles H. Scott  
1029 Silver Ave

Joseph K. Beazell  
303 Shawnee Blvd.

Aneill M. Scovill  
102 Boeke

Ice

Argentine Ice Company  
229 E Ruby Ave

Arthur H. Shumate  
537 Strong Ave

Santa Fe Car Icing Co.  
Santa Fe tracks and Carlisle Rd (renamed 42<sup>nd</sup> St)

Milton M. Stiffler  
240 N Spear Ave

Ice Cream

Louis C. Turner  
121 E. Ruby Ave

B. G. Neiswander  
135 E Metropolitan Ave

Vincent & Nielsen  
6 N. Spear Ave

James W. Pinkard  
132 Silver Ave

Bradford M. Wilson  
122 E Ruby Ave

Belle Wright  
209 W. Metropolitan Ave

Hardware

Insurance Agents

Thomas Harmer  
105 Silver Ave

Edgar L. Clark  
223 ½ W Metropolitan Ave

Hurley and McDonald  
215 W Metropolitan Ave

F. F. Erhart  
8 S. Spear Ave

M. W. Lovelace  
545 Strong Ave

G. W. Gulley  
213 W Metropolitan Ave

Harness Makers

Jewelers

Andrew Brown  
826 Strong Ave

J. O. Gaskill and Co.  
231 W Metropolitan Ave

Horse Shoers

William L. Spear  
2 N Spear Ave

Jeremiah Callaghan  
124 Silver Ave

Junk Dealers

Orville C. Lang  
816 Strong Ave

Luther Morrison  
1028 Barber Ave

Peter Starks  
26 S. Spear Ave

Henry Morris  
Walnut nr 12<sup>th</sup>

Hotels

George Thomas  
270 Maple

Argentine Hotel  
14 N Spear Ave

Justice of the Peace

Chicago House  
126 W. Ruby Ave

Harry M. Herr  
207 W Metropolitan Ave

Cottage House  
11 S Spear Ave

Joseph L. Landrey  
612 Strong Ave

House Movers

Laundries

Gregory's Steam Laundry  
501 W Metropolitan Ave

Todd's Hand Laundry  
Strong Ave SE Corner S 7<sup>th</sup>

Lawyers

Samuel Crawford  
10 S Spear Ave

Joseph L. Landrey  
612 Strong Ave

H. J. Smith  
303 W Metropolitan Ave

Francais M. Woods  
513 W. Metropolitan Ave

Light and Power Company

Standard Electric Light Co.  
303 W Metropolitan Ave

Livery

Frisbie Brothers  
817 Strong Ave

G. W. Simmons  
113 Strong Ave

Lumber

Badger Lumber Co.  
5<sup>th</sup> NW Corner Metropolitan Ave

Lunch-See

George Harding  
24 N Spear Ave

Meat Markets

J. H. Borgstede  
211 Silver Ave

T. D. Chamberlain  
541 Strong Ave

Bert E. Cheatwood  
820 Strong Ave

J. B. Christensen  
141 S 1<sup>st</sup>

L. G. Eike  
225 Silver Ave

Willard H. Ekdahl  
401 W Metropolitan Ave

John F. Evans  
2 S Spear Ave

C. W. Green  
101 Silver Ave

Sable's Grocery  
102 Silver Ave

Aneil Scovill  
102 Boeke

Arthur H. Shumate  
537 Strong Ave

L. C. Turner  
121 E Ruby Ave

Vincent & Nielsen  
6 N Spear Ave

Bradford M. Wilson  
122 E Ruby Ave

Millinery

Fannie M. McCauley  
15 S Spear Ave

Anna M. Williams  
121 S 1<sup>st</sup>

Music Teachers

Hazel F. Beeler  
453 E Ruby Ave

Helen Bliss  
115 W Ruby Ave

Ollie Bliss  
221 E Ruby Ave

Lily Comby  
47 S 4<sup>th</sup>

Elva Fuller  
913 Strong Ave

Adah F. Funnell  
619 W Metropolitan Ave

Jessie E. Neff  
619 W Metropolitan Ave

Leita Hoagland  
33 N. King

John P. Seales  
120 Silver Ave

Newspapers & Publications

Argentine Republic  
612 Strong Ave

Notaries Public

Samuel Crawford  
10 S Spear Ave

F. F. Erhart  
8 S Spear Ave

Joseph L. Landrey  
612 Strong Ave

Hugh J. Smith  
303 W Metropolitan Ave

James F. Trowbridge  
132 Silver

Francais M. Woods  
519 W Metropolitan Ave

Notions

John E. Ferreira  
822 Strong Ave

George S Gavier  
539 Strong Ave

Byron LaGrange  
810 Strong Ave

Nurseries

Elmhurst Nursery  
2 Miles SW of Argentine

Frederick H. Espenlaub  
Argentine Rd nr Ash

Harry H. Hughes  
Hazel NW Corner Argentine Rd

Kansas City Nurseries  
Kansas Ave SE Corner Carlisle Rd

Nurses

Mabel Dorsey  
217 W Elmwood Ave

Eloda M. Messimer  
205 Lawrence Ave

Paints & Oils

Thomas Harnes  
105 Silver Ave

Paperhangers

William Banner  
397 S Ash

Eli Bennett  
413 W Metropolitan Ave

Edward J. Bowers  
114 Boeke

Kelley Brothers  
309 W Metropolitan Ave

Hosea C. Parcell  
19 N 9<sup>th</sup>

John L. Parcell  
114 W Ruby Ave

Photographers

C. A. Goodrich  
401 W Metropolitan Ave

Physicians

Oscar P. Blatchly  
220 Ash

F. W. Brunig  
203 W Metropolitan Ave

Plasterers

Frank Freeburg  
1122 Strong Ave

William A. Hulit  
318 S Ash

Plumbers

Joseph L. Berenzen  
201 Silver Ave

Hurley & McDonald  
215 W Metropolitan Ave

Post Office

Argentine Post Office  
14 S Spear Ave

Publishers

Grant Landrey  
612 Strong Ave

Quarries

Enright Brothers  
Ruby Ave betw 4<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup>

Queensware

Thomas Harmer  
105 Silver Ave

Railroads

Atchison Topeka & Santa Fe  
9<sup>th</sup> & Santa Fe Tracks

Real Estate

Edgar L. Clark  
223 ½ W Metropolitan Ave

F. F. Erhart  
8 S Spear Ave

John Fitzgerald  
11 S 6<sup>th</sup>

George W. Gulley  
213 W Metropolitan Ave

James L. Larkin  
612 Strong Ave

Thomas J. Payne  
1201 W Franklin Ave

George W. Toothaker  
12 S. Spear Ave

James F. Trowbridge  
132 Silver Ave

Repair Shops

Edward D. Heath  
203 Silver Ave

Schools

Argentine High School  
2<sup>nd</sup> betw Ruby Ave and Wyandotte

Bruce School (Colored)  
Strong Ave SW Corner 4<sup>th</sup>

Emerson School  
Metropolitan Ave NW Corner Marvell

Franklin School  
Oak SW Corner Metropolitan Ave

Lowell School  
Elmwood SE Corner 2<sup>nd</sup>

Stanley School  
13<sup>th</sup> SW Corner Metropolitan Ave

Second Hand

Henry W. Duff  
207 Silver Ave

Sheet Metal Works

Joseph L. Berenzen  
201 Silver Ave

Hurley & McDonald  
215 W Metropolitan Ave

Springs

Argentine Springs  
South side Metropolitan Ave betw  
Walnut and Lynn

Structural Steel

Kansas City Structural Steel Company  
Metropolitan Ave NE Corner 1<sup>st</sup>

Tailors

John Birnback  
115 S 2<sup>nd</sup>

Percy Postlethwaite  
5 S Spear Ave

Otto Ruch  
S Spear Ave

Henry Scherer  
313 S Metropolitan Ave

Jacob Scherer  
813 Strong Ave

Tea and Coffee

Oscar Moss  
253 Valley

Telephone Company

MO and KS Telephone Co.  
237 W Metropolitan Ave

Tinners

Joseph L. Berenzen  
201 Silver Ave

Hurley & McDonald  
215 W Metropolitan Ave

Transfer

Argentine Transfer Co.  
105 Silver Ave

William E. Drollinger  
417 W Metropolitan Ave

Frisbie Brothers  
817 Strong Ave

C. L. Frisbie  
828 Strong Ave

W. J. Ritter  
425 W Metropolitan Ave

Milton Sayers  
120 Maple

Charles C. Simmons  
190 Shawnee Blvd

Undertakers

G. W. Simmons  
113 Silver Ave

Upholsterers

Frank R. Rasey  
222 Silver Ave

Veterinary Surgeons

Harmon M. Smith  
128 Silver Ave

Wagon Makers

J. J. Callaghan  
124 Silver Ave

Water Companies

Argentine Water Co.  
303 W Metropolitan Ave