

**R**oy L. Alciatore W5RU \*1902-1972\* Restaurateur of the world class Antoine's of New Orleans. Owner operator from 1930-1972 the New Orleans famous landmark Antoin's. Roy loved the ham radio bands and sent out QSL cards with Mardi Gras medals.



Founded in 1840 by the Alciatore family, this New Orleans establishment has set the standard that made New Orleans one of the greatest dining centers of the world. For over 160 years this establishments excellent French-Creole cuisine, service and atmosphere have combined to create an unmatched dining experience for both locals and visitors to New Orleans.

Antoine's has a selection of 15 dining rooms, each with their own unique history and charm. For private parties and events for up to 700 guests. Antoine's had signature and pictures of the famous and wealthy adorning the walls.

Memorabilia from its many notable guests line the walls....and include General Patton, The Duke and Duchess of Windsor, President Roosevelt & Pope John Paul II to name just a few. Antoine's wines; fully stocked from 17 to 20 thousand bottles in house.



Roy W5RU is behind FDR, looking this way with the bow tie. Our subject was a OOTC old time ham spark operator number 280.

