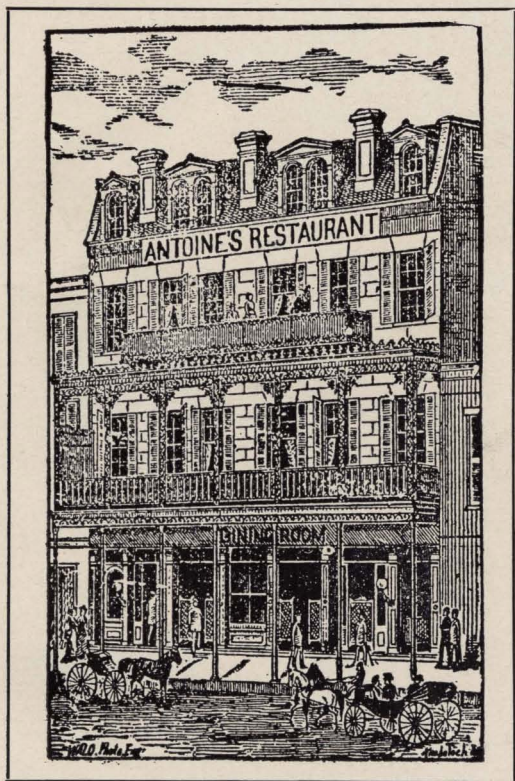


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Souvenir DU Restaurant Antoine



Fonde' en 1840

Roy L. Alciatore, Proprietor

3-717 St. Louis Street

New Orleans, La.

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Roy L. Alciatore

Proprietor of Antoine's drawn by the noted Caricaturist
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Irvin S. Cobb

"Once upon a time, being seduced by certain poetic words of Thackeray, I made a special trip to a certain café in Paris to eat *boquilla-baisse*. I found it distinctly worth while. Later I went to Marseilles, the home of this dish, and there ate it again and found it better. And then I came back to America and ate it at Antoine's in New Orleans and found it best of all."

—from Irvin S. Cobb's Article, "Just to Make Your Mouth Water."—Cosmopolitan Magazine.



Will Rogers

Syndicated News Service

"Antoine's is the famous eating place of New Orleans, and let me tell you brother, when you have a famous eating place in that city, it must be some place, because they do know how to eat, and what to eat, and hospitality, and when you speak of Antoine's you have reached the "Z" and "&" in alphabetical praise.

It was founded in 1840 and has never had to resort to a jazz band. Imagine a restaurant existing and making a world wide reputation on just food. My sombrero is topped to Jules and Roy at Antoine's."



Antoine's Is to New Orleans What Delmonico's Was to New York or The Cafe Anglais to Paris.

The home of good cheer.

The home of fine Cooking.

The place where trouble and tribulations are left
behind.

It is the place "par excellence" for the gourmet,
because there is always something new for the refined senses.

New dishes, new seasoning, new presentation of eatables.



What you can get elsewhere you can get at Antoine's.

But, some things you can get at Antoine's you cannot get else-
where, because they are special concoctions of the culinary art,
prepared under the master's eye.

Dishes are created, or new ways of serving old ones are dis-
covered almost weekly.

Eating at Antoine's is like getting a new start in life.

You go in with the blues and leave with rosy impressions.





Surroundings

Those who have never partaken of a meal at Antoine's invariably picture the place gorgeously decorated with all the bright colors of the rainbow; with gold, silver and bronze leaf plastered in the very recesses of the ceiling; with a select band playing popular music or excerpts of the Operatic masterpieces; with footmen in princely livery opening the carriage doors, and grooms to take care of the cloaks.

None of all that.

Antoine's is today what it was at its inception—an immaculately clean place, with tableware and linen of the severe solid home like type, and attentive noiseless waiters, who speak many tongues because they have learned their avocation on both continents.

No deafening brass band between courses.

No boisterous table neighbors.

When you go to Antoine's, it is to give your palate an undisturbed treat.

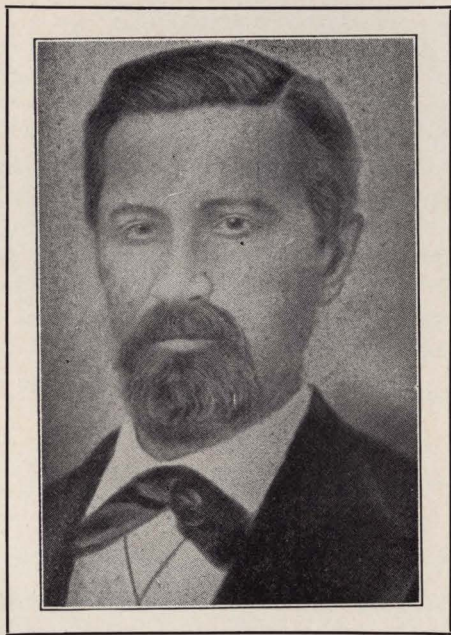
That is why the place is unique and in a class of its own.

Had Brillat-Savarin lived a century later he would undoubtedly have referred to Antoine's in his "Physiologie du Gout" because it is that particular atmosphere of the place which enhances the artistically prepared dishes and develops to the highest degree the gastric fluids.

Not to have eaten at Antoine's is almost saying that you have never been in New Orleans.



A Bit of History



Antoine Alciatore

Founder

1840 to 1885

Founder of the house of Antoine, who seeking his fortune in America came to New Orleans and founded in the year 1840 the Restaurant Antoine. Beginning in a small way, it was not long before Antoine's was a byword for all that stands highest in the culinary line. His talents won for him an enviable reputation and the little restaurant flourished. Antoine went back to France his native land to die, and he left the business in the hands of his son Jules.



Jules Alciatore

Proprietor

1885 to 1930

Jules, a fit successor to his illustrious father, took charge of "Les affairs" and since he too made his studies in the land of his father, the house of Antoine again prospered under his guiding hand, and today it enjoys an international reputation wherever people gather to discuss the gentle art of eating in its many and divers forms. Jules, before his death placed the active management of the restaurant in the hands of his son Roy.



Roy L. Alciatore
Present Proprietor
1930 to 1939

Roy, grandson of Antoine Alciatore, and present proprietor, was born and reared in America, in a modern age, but nevertheless retains these qualities which he inherited from his grandfather and his father in the gastronomic line, and due to the able tutelage of his father Jules, is a fit successor to carry on the name of Antoine to still greater heights.

Distinguished Guests

In the Spring of 1940 Antoine's Restaurant will celebrate the completion of one hundred years of uninterrupted service in catering to the gustatory needs of lovers of fine cuisine. The following list of distinguished guests who have visited Antoine's in the past century is mute evidence of the fame which the House of Antoine enjoys throughout the world.

President Franklin D. Roosevelt, Ex-President Theodore Roosevelt, Ex-President William H. Taft, Ex-President Calvin Coolidge, Ex-President Herbert Hoover, Marechal Foch, General Boulanger, Admiral Richard Byrd, J. W. Weeks Ex-Secretary of War, George H. Dern Ex-Secretary of War, L. W. Roberts Jr. Ex-Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, Ray Lyman Wilbur Ex-Secretary of the Interior, Commodore Ernest Lee Jahncke Ex-Assistant Secretary of the Navy, General John J. Pershing, General J. Harbord, General Smedley Butler, Brigadier General J. H. White, Brigadier General Ray H. Fleming, Major General George Van Horn Moseley, Captain James J. Van Zandt, Major General J. L. Schley Chief of Engineers U.S.A., Lieutenant J. M. Ocher and Lieutenant H. L. Challenger of the U.S. Submarine S-10, Captain W. L. Ainsworth, Colonel Frank Evans U.S.M.C., Thomas Jefferson Coolidge Ex-Undersecretary of the Treasury, Henry A. Wallace Secretary of Agriculture, Nellie Tayloe Ross, Director of the U.S. Mint, U.S. Attorney General Frank Murphy, Marvin H. McIntyre Secretary to President Roosevelt, Rear Admiral H. H. Christy, Vice Admiral R.A.R. Plunkett-Ernle-Erle-Drax Commander of West Indies British Squadron, Rear Admiral Anthur J. Hepburn, Rear Admiral E. B. Fenner, Vice Admiral Edward Pettengill, Vice Admiral Edward Campbell, Rear Admiral Hayne Ellis, Commander Louis J. Gulliver U. S. Frigate Constitution, Captain H. C. C. Blagrove, Captain Benjamin Dutton, Commander Charles E. Rosendahl, Captain G. S. Burrell C. F. C., Commander Paul Auphan of the Jeanne d'Arc, Admiral Culverius, Commander A. N. Addoms, U.S.S. Moffett, Rear Admiral G. J. Rowcliff, Commander Alejandro Salinas San Roman Chilean Ship Rancagua, Lieutenant Commander Neville Levy U. S. N. R., Lieut.-Commander Paul Serpette French Ship d'Entrecasteaux, Lieutenant Commander Paul Broussaunt French Submarine Ouessant, Lieutenant Pierre Le Creux French Submarine Agosta, Captain J. S. Abbott, Rear Admiral H. V. Butler, Captain A. B. Reed, Commander Cristobal Gonzalez Aller y Acebal Spanish Ship Juan Sebastian de Elcano, Lieutenant Commander H. R. Thurber, Lieutenant Commander Albert Casanova Gonzelez Cruiser Cuba, Rear Admiral P. A. Rossiter Surgeon General U. S. N. Commandant

Gonet, Capt. Louis Sable, Naval Attache at Washington, French Ambassador George Bonnet, English Ambassador Sir Esme Howard, French Ambassador Paul Claudel, German Ambassador Dr. Hans Luther, Royal Italian Ambassador Augusto Rosso, French Ambassador J. Jusserand, Greek Ambassador Demetrios Sicilianos, Royal Italian Ambassador Fulvio Suvich, Japanese Ambassador Ken-suke Harinouchi, Abdel Wahab Pasha Egyptian Undersecretary of State, Capt. Joao Alberto Lins de Barros, Brazilian Cabinet Member, President Anastasio Somoza of Nicaragua, Harry L. Hopkins W. P. A. Chief, J. Edgar Hoover F. B. I. Chief, Howard O. Hunter W. P. A. Administrator, L. W. "Chip" Robert National Democratic Secretary, Archibald MacLeish Librarian of Congress, F. V. Sorrels Chief of Secret Service, Colonel E. W. Starling Chief of White House Secret Service, Donald Richberg, ExAmbassador Hoffman Philip, Honourable Gerald Drew, Nathan Strauss Chief Housing Administrator, Dr. Leon De Bayle Minister of Nicaragua, Supreme Court Justice Felix Frankfurter, Lloyd C. Griscom Former Ambassador, Jefferson Caffery Ambassador to Brazil, Harper Sibley U. S. Chamber of Commerce, O. John Rogge Assistant Attorney General, Japanese Admiral Yamamoto, Major General Charles Macon Wesson, Chief of Ordnance U. S. A. Colonel E. P. Pierson, Lieutenant Commander John J. Patterson U. S. N.

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Consul, Bernard Gilliat Smith British Consul General, Consul General Bravo of Nicaragua, Robert M. Cohan British Consul, H. Stanford London British Consul, Julio Holguin Consul of Colombia, Dr. Waclaw Garonski Consul of Poland, Kenzo Ito, Consul of Japan, Dr. Francisco Banda Consul of Ecuador, F. Gordon Rule British Consul, Dr. Charles J. Hollub Consul of Czecho-Slovakia, Count Jean de La Greze French Consul, Rene Delage French Consul, Dr. Vitale Gallina Italian Consul, Dr. Ludovico Censi, Italian Consul, Edmundo Aragon Mexican Consul, Jayme de Brito Brazilian Consul, Ernest Wendler German Consul, Baron Von Speigel German Consul.

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In compiling this list we have endeavored to include all of our distinguished visitors. If we have forgotten anyone we are sorry for the unintentional omission.

May We Quote

President Franklin D. Roosevelt

"To Antoine's—It's good to be back again."

Ex-President Calvin Coolidge

"Deep appreciation for Antoine's."

Alfred M. Landon

"To Roy Alciatore—With sincere delight at your real hospitality and the opportunity of visiting you again."

Elliott Roosevelt

"May I express my deep appreciation for a very rare experience, which will be long remembered. Never has it been my experience to enjoy such fine fare."

Herbert Hoover II

"When you want real food go to Antoine's—When you want real life go to New Orleans."

O. O. McIntyre

In New York Day by Day

"I, too, have enjoyed myself at the famous Antoine's and hope to again."

Julian Street

Gourmet and Author of "Abroad at Home," "Wines," "Where Paris Dines," Etc.

"I am old enough to remember some of the historic restaurants of the world—The Cafe Anglais, Voisin, and Paillard (which are no more) in Paris, and the Tour d'Argent in the days of the famous Frederic. I remember the Carlton in London when Escoffier was Chef, and Lhardi's in Madrid. In New York I knew Delmonico's, Sherry's, Rector's and J. B. Martin's in their prime. Great places all of them. Antoine's resembles none of these in style and setting, for like every great restaurant, it has a style of its own. Its age, its picturesqueness, its high culinary traditions, and its record of practically a century under the management of successive generations of the same family, make it entirely unique. It is more than a first-rate restaurant in New Orleans. It is an American institution, an establishment of which the whole country may be proud."

Herman B. Deutsch

Author—"The Incredible Yanqui," "The Wedge," Etc.

"To Roy Alciatore whom I acknowledge as a master and supreme artist in his line."

Count Marcel Le Besac

"Now I am convinced. At Antoine's one eats and drinks just like in France."

Irvin Cobb

Author.

"What Jules can do to oysters and fish and various other things that make up a meal, is what the cooks must do to them in heaven."

George E. Sokolsky

London Times

"The very best dinner I have eaten east of Shanghai, and then equal to the Lung Foo Soo, which to epicures is heaven."

H. L. Mencken

"Mr. Alciatore: Like every other visitor who has been in your restaurant I remember it with pleasure."

Prince Louis Ferdinand Hohenzollern

"I have found a truly great restaurant in North America."

Meigs O. Frost

Author—"A Marine Tells It To Me," Etc.

"To Jules Alciatore of Antoine's cooking is an art. As a poet blends words to produce a sonnet; he blends ingredients to produce a sauce."

W. A. Ireland

Columbus, Ohio, Evening Dispatch

"If I had been Lafitte the pirate I would have seized the culinary treasurers of Antoine's and not wasted my time at sea."

Abe Martin

Columnist

"This place beats Brown country all holler."

Natalie Vivian Scott

Modern Priscilla

"No voice, no lute, no pipe there, and no orchestra. But—what is so little emphasized in modern restaurants—food in its most glorified form; quiet in which to enjoy it, and leisure."

Hugh Baillie

President United Press

"Eureka. This is the food and wine mood I have been attempting to recapture ever since 1921, when I last had such an experience at the Cafe Cathedral in Rouen. Congratulations, Roy."

K. T. Knoblock

Author—"There's Been Murder Done," Etc.

"There has been no decline in Antoine's standards. All over the world Antoine's is known, and from all over the world gourmets and great men come to New Orleans to dine at Antoine's."

John Ringling

"Superior Cuisine in unique surroundings. Best wishes to Jules, Roy and Escoffier."

The Marquis of Donegall

Special Correspondent London Daily Mail

"Chez Antoine j'ai mange' miex qu'a Paris—et helas fort mieux qu'on ne puis manager a Londres. And that's That!"

Clem Hearsey

N. Y. Morning Telegraph

"Mention Antoine's on the boulevards of Paris, the Strand of London, the Great White Way of New York, or in any American city where the bon vivant is to be found, and lips will smack in pleasant remembrances."

Ethel Barrymore

"Since my first visit to Antoine's, when I was 14 years old, it has been the only restaurant in the world for me."

I. W. Kanarek

Memphis, Tenn.

"I had dinner in your restaurant the other evening, and received one of your booklets. I found therein quotations from a lot of celebrities, praising your meals and service. I found nothing had been said by non-celebrities.

"And so in behalf of that vast unspoken multitude, want to say that the food that you serve in your joint—is damn good stuff!"



Suggestions

While it would take a volume to mention the hundreds of specialties offered to the epicure at Antoine's, it is worth while singling out a few which have often been imitated but never duplicated.

Huitres en Coquille a La Rockefeller

Oysters baked in their shells with such rich ingredients that the name of the Multi-Millionaire was borrowed to indicate their value. This dish made its debut to the world from the kitchens of Antoine.



Bisque d'Ecrevisses a La Cardinal

A soup made of crayfish boiled in white wine and subsequently pounded into a pulp with an addition of cream, aromatic herbs and vegetables.



Pompano en Papillote

Succulent Pompano with a delicious sauce cooked in a paper bag in order to retain the flavor.

Pommes Soufflees

Puffed potatoes which are the one new thing under the sun.

Poulet Chanteclair

Chicken marinated in red wine and cooked in such a manner as to impart a most distinctive flavor.

Crepes Suzette

The famous French pancakes burned with brandy and liqueurs, served a La Antoine.



Cafe Brulot Diabolique

Black coffee burned with cognac and flavoured with spices. Another of Antoine's exclusive creations.

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Announcement

In the Spring of the Year 1940 ANTOINE'S will celebrate the complete 100 years of uninterrupted service to the Gourmets of the world, under successive generations of the Alciatore family, father, son and grandson. Our pleasure to extend to you an invitation to visit Antoine's during this Centennial Celebration.

Believe It Or Not



Since Antoine's restaurant was founded in 1840 the antique chandeliers equipped with old-fashioned gas mantels have been used to heat the main dining room in even the coldest winters. No other heaters have been used.