THE CHATEAU OF MAISONS-LAFITTE, ONCE THE NEW YORKERS PREPARE PROPERTY OF MARSHAL LANNES, WILL BE OPENED AS A MUSEUM SOON

Built in 1650, on the Orders of Marquis de Longueil-Voltaire Was Entertained There - Tragedy of Brilliant Young Naval Officer

DARIS, August 8.—The beautiful little chateau of Maisons-Laffitte, which was once the property of Marshal Lannes, and where Louis XIV. was entertained, was purchased by the Alliance Between Police and state some seven years ago for the purpose of turning it into a museum, which is now about to be opened to the public. No date has yet been fixed, and it will depend on the under-secretary for fine arts to select the day. The museum contains a good many old tapestries from the Gobelins and antiques from the different state furni- No Expense Will be Spared;

young man with a bullet wound through the temple. A doctor, hastily

summoned, found that nothing could

The victim was a young naval

lieutenant on sick leave, who had re-

turned that day from Paris. On hear-

moned before the courts for keeping

the law must take its course, the ris-

appointment, weighing on a mind al-

committed suicide. It is a sad ending

Another illustration of the orthodox

net, the Postmaster-General, couched

most insulting terms, implying that

ent banquet were due to free in-

ulgence in wine, wherefore "the co

ress allows M. Chaumet the benefit of

difficult to find a parallel to such in-

credit check of \$1,250,000 for improv ing the situation of this very category

of employees: and altogether the

Chamber voted \$6,000,000 for an in-

crease of the salaries of postal ser-

committee of the syndicate which

sible for the offensive resolution above quoted, the whole syndicate replied

and less a subject of reproach to them-

of them was missing. Messengers

were sent in haste after the wagon to

Fifteen years ago a pastel by Latour vas sold for \$1,000. It was sold again

Baron Honri de Rothschild, rocent-

aving a good deal of trouble with

The pastel resembles old port in tw

rows older, and it must not be shak en. For if you shake an old pastel the colors fall in dust. The motor

nnibuses which pass Baron Henri de lothschild's house have made him

ervous. Not only does each grain of ist which they might shake from the

atour mean about \$200, but the pic-

us company and asked that the motor

mnibuses should be sent round by

nother route. His request, although

ure is too beautiful to be shaken

oits. The Baron applied to the omn

ays. It increases in value as

for \$1,200,000. Baron Henri de

hschild, who is naturally anxious r the preservation of his picture, i

found except an empty sack.

yr to his convictions.

rporatively upheld the motion.

alled the congress held itself respon-

Socialist frame of mind is afforded by

died a few minutes later

The chateau was built between 1642 of a very pitiful tragedy. The other and 1650 by Mansard, by the orders night cries for help were heard from of the Marquis de Longueil, superin-tendent of the king's finance, and a young woman, scantily dressed, when it was finished the king and the with hair dishevelled, rushed out. Marquis received the whole court, including the King and Queen. One of awakened neighbors, "My lover has the most famous guest at the chateau | shot himself! was Veltaire. He was entertained there by the grandson of the original stained mattress, was the body of a owner, and wrote his tragedy of "Mar-lane," and a part of the "Henriade" there. It was at the chateau also that he got the severe attack of smallpox, which almost cast him his life. After he recovered, he expressed his gratitude to his host in prose and verse, not for the illness, but for the kindness and devotion with which he was nursed out of it.

The chateau passed out of the an opium den at Brest and Cherbourg Longuell family and was purchased by the officer had that afternoon approached one of the magistrates and \$300,000 for it During the Revolution was confiscated and sold, and finagainst his friend. On being told that ally, in 1804, it was purchased by Marshall Lannes, who had part of the estate along the river laid out to resemble the battlefield of Austerlitz. In Laffitte, who finally attached his dead officer, entering the naval school second in 1903 and passing out first, 1818 it was bought by the banker had since then made splendid proformed part of the estate were dis- gress in his profession. It is signiposed of for building plots. Only a ficant that his father, a magistrate, small part of the ground now remains also died by his own hand. near the chateau, just enough to give a pretty perspective to the Seine.

An opium den, and there are many the attitude of the postal employees, such in the French naval ports, has been the cause, though not the scene, pessed a resolution against M. Chau-

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New York, Aug. 8.—Citizens of New York, disgusted with the failure of the police to clear up the worst graft and municipal scandal in the city's history, today prebe done for the wounded man, who pared to take matters in their own hands by the formation of an organization to investigate the corrupt alliance between the police department and the underworld. No expense will be spared and New York's ablest lawyers and detecimplored him to dismiss the case tives will participate in the work. This movement, with the capture of "Lefty Louie" at Tannersville tonight, has increased interest in the Rosenthal killing to fever heat ready weakened by ill-health, the man

A call for the organization of a grea on-partisan, non-sectarian citizens nmittee was sent out this afternoor he movement being headed by Jacob Schiff, Felix Adler, Bishop Grere, Jesse Slaus, Eugene H. Outerbridge, Dr. Henry Moskowitz, Allan Robinson and Henry Green. At the same time Mrs Borden Harriman was asked to head an auxiliary committee of women, with Mrs. Russell Sage, Mrs. E. H. Harriwho met in congress last week andman and others as members. Ever nfluential citizen of New York is to be asked to join one or the other of these

he statements made by him at the A mass meeting will be held in Coop-Union as soon as arrangements are made. Plans will be adopted at this eeting for a campaign to clean up the city and free it from the alliance between gamblers and other victous lenizens of the underworld and the powards their chief, and a chief, too, who ice as revealed by the murder of Herhas invariably shown extreme con-sideration of their grievances, and man Rosenthal. The committee plans not only to drive the guilty ones out who only a few weeks ago extorted a from under cover, as did the committee of fifteen, but to force them to flee the ity and to wipe out the vice and crime which the Rosenthal investigation shows to be rampant again. Popular subscriptions are to be vants. On M. Chaumet's asking if the

opened, but even now there is enough noney on hand, pledged by those who are heading the movement, to carry i through. Responsibility for gambling quoted, the whole syndicate replied and the mass of raine on the East Side that every one of them personally and is laid openly at the door of the police Such an example shows to what a amentable extent Socialism corrupts the untulpred working classes, leading to a complete ignoring of all the

part: There is always some ing in this city, under cover of which canger of an act of clemency like the crimes have been committed with impunity and criminals permitted to ge as a sign of weakness, but in the presunpunished, has reached a point where instance there can scarcely be any public sentiment demands that the orliberty is probably looked upon by for the protection and well-being of he government as less objectionable our citizens shall perform the duties of their offices, and in the full confidence that such performance will have strong selves or an object of admiration to his commades than when a prisoner in

the Conciergerie and a pretended mar-Forced by demands by seventeen embers of the board of aldermen, A military prisoner at Grenoble has succeeded in making an extraordinary meeting of the board, to be held Mon-Mayor Gaynor was compelled to call a lers in prison are allowed to cut gate the police department and its wood, and bind it up in bundles for relations with the gamblers. Aldersale. A wagon was brought into the man Curran, who headed the demand prison yard to cart away the wood of an aldermanic investigation, deheavy sack was loafed on the wagon clares that this work will not inter and a sergeant observed that the sack fere with the district attorney's proo coked very bulky. "It is full of rub- now going on, or with the citizens' in bith," was the reply. Afterwards, vestigaton started today. when the prisoners were mustered, one

Find Slayer's Weapon

The revolver with which Rosenthal inspect the load, but nothing was was killed has been found in a trunk pelonging to "Whitey" Lewis, and eigntified as the gun used by the murprisoner, who had been inside, had cut it open and escaped as the wagon was driving through the town. deren by Police Lieutenant William Jones, revolver expert, and Captain Favrot, in charge of the finger-print department District Attorney Whitman, who

in Manchester, Vt., working on the New England trails of the fleeing men, announced today that the case had reached such a point that he is praccally sure of getting and convicting ill the murderers. Further than this refused to discuss the details he had in hand. It was learned today that olice Lieutenant Becker, alleged to be he man who instigated and paid for murder of Rosenthal, will make ne defense that Jack Rose planned kill Rosenthal because of a deal i which the gambler "did" Rose out of large sum of money. The accused policeman will tell the story of a gam-blers' feud of long standing said to nave existed between Rose and Rosen-

A mysterious "tip" was passed into fack Rose, Harry Vallon and "Bridgie"

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BRUSSELS, August 8.—Viewed from every standpoint—from that of the native merchant, from the past, present or future—the cardinal injustice of the Leopoldian "regime" remains in practice unaffected by Belgian annexation. The greatest crime of the old Conga State, which looms as the supreme danger of the fundamental injustice was receted the whole superstructure of the infammy of the past. It remains to day as the faundation of a tribuse with the configuration to cover it. Stantles in now a population to cover it. Stantles in now a population to cover it. Stantles in now a population to cover it. Stantles is not it is station and of European governments generally. Belgium knows that is that dailen to 20 millions, and total population to connot be admitted that it had fallen to 20 millions, acattered the gradual population to connot be admitted that it had fallen to 20 millions, acattered the population at 30 millions at the tellant fill and t fundamental injustice was erected the whole superstructure of the positions exist everywhere—at fundamental injustice was erected the whole superstructure of the positions exist everywhere—at fundamental injustice was erected the foundation of a potential fluence of tributary rivers. nfamy of the past. It remains today as the foundation of a potential system of servitude, but one degree less oppressive than the old steamers, or sites already cleared slavery of the Congo State. Leading Colonial opinion in Belgium appears as incapable as local officialdom of forming a generous conception of the indigenous possibilities of the Congo natives. It can be springs of crystal water so essent to health and comfort—a wide selection, inviting the white prospection. omprehend the laborer, the serf, or the domestic slave, but the free, and to these lands, for these are dustrious, and successful colored citizen is apparently beyond the neath the soil in their thousands, an mental horizon of those who control the destinies of the Congo. While the native remains landless he of warfare, which only ceased when

oor is at present the motto of the Con-led by peaceful agreements. Even so, established today, go. In the years preceding the estab- the whole population for months was is evidence of profound

his friend Plasson are still at large. of the fanatics of this province." the Equatorial regions were in a state Congo native desired a piece of land in precedent once established,

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