RESIDENCES OF THE JACQUES ALLEON FAMILY IN PARIS

ENGLISH VERSION

THE CASTLE OF L'ETANG LA VILLE

Jacques Alléon bought the castle of l'Etang la Ville in 1862 from Louis Cor, first cousin of his son-in-law Joseph Cor (1805-1854), a dragoman in Constantinople.

A black marble plaque on the west wall of the seigneurial chapel still bears the following inscription: « Jacques Alléon, having acquired in 1862 the Château de l'Etang-la-Ville-sous-Marly, formerly owned by the Fonton family, his maternal ancestors, wanted by this inscription to honour their memory and mainly that of Mr Joachim Fonton, born in Valence, Dauphiné, founder of the branch of this family established in Constantinople, died in an apartment of the palace of Versailles on June 3, 1707. His elder brother, Messire Gabriel Fonton, sieur of Vaugelas, lord of l'Etang-la-ville, had him buried in the family vault which is in this seigneurial chapel. Requiescat in pace ».

In this town, a street is named after the Fonton family. Today, this castle is the town hall.







SCRIBE STREET

Jacques Alléon had a private mansion built at number 13 of this street, known as the Hôtel Alléon. It was right in front of the Garnier Opera House.

The construction dates back to the mid-1860s. The finishing touches took place in 1865.



13 Scribe Street, some thirty years after it was built by Jacques

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This building, which still exists, was sold on his death.

