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A match that stopped after less than 5 minutes of play. This was the sad spectacle at Groupama Stadium last night in Lyon. The match against Olympique de Marseille came to an end after Marseille's Dimitry Payet was hit in the head by a bottle of water. After a long period of confusion, and the refusal of OM to return to the field, the match was definitively stopped. For the President of Lyon Jean-Michel Aulas, stopping the match was unnecessary, and there was every reason to resume the game. The man who had thrown the bottle had at that point already been arrested and placed in police custody.

Following in Guadeloupe's footsteps, Martinique will see a general strike from today, at the call of 17 unions. Among the demands, people are asking for the end of the vaccination obligation for caregivers, and a rise in wages and social minima. On social networks, several messages called for people to blockade roads. As a result, many have rushed into supermarkets and gas stations.

The time for the interrogation of François Fillon. The former Prime Minister will be questioned today during his appeal trial in Paris. He is on trial for suspicions of fictitious employment of his wife Penelope. At the first instance, François Fillon was sentenced to five years in prison, two of which were behind bars, and a fine of 375,000 euros.

In the United States, a suspect has been identified after the tragedy in Wisconsin, where a car drove into the crowd during a Christmas parade. The number of deaths has yet to be confirmed. More than 20 injured people were hospitalized. The circumstances of the tragedy are still unclear, and we do not know the motivations of the driver.

And finally, the Christmas lights on the Champs-Élysées were switched on last night. The singer Clara Luciani turned on the lights this year, alongside Anne Hidalgo. The event was attended by hundreds of Parisians, unlike last year when the ceremony took place without an audience because of the health crisis.