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The draft law on the vaccine pass goes before the Senate this week. The text will be discussed today in committees and will reach the upper house tomorrow. The government is hoping that this measure can come into force at the end week. If the vaccine pass is rolled out, having a full vaccination record will be required in order to gain entry to a number of activities including cinemas, sports halls and restaurants. A negative covid test will no longer suffice

The member of parliament for Saint-Pierre and Miquelon, Stéphane Claireaux was attacked in front of his home by anti-health pass protesters. Claireaux had objects and stones thrown in his face yesterday. Several ministers including Sébastien Lecornu, minister of the Overseas Territories and Annick Girardin, Minister of the Oceans have spoken out against the attacks in support of Claireaux.

With three months to go until the first round of the presidential election, Guillaume Peltier, has teamed up with Eric Zemmour. The ex-number 2 of the Republican party will even become the spokesperson for the extreme right candidate. Peltier says he believes that Eric Zemmour is the "only candidate on the right who is capable of beating Emmanuel Macron"

The President will be traveling to the Roya valley today almost a year after the region was hit by storm Alex. Macron has come to see progress on reconstruction work. Then, the President is bound for Nice, where he will be giving a talk about security. The visit has been boycotted by the Republican member of parliament for the Alpes-Maritimes Eric Ciotti who says Macron is using the visit to garner votes.

And finally, to football and PSG were held in check by Lyon last night. Day 20 of the Ligue 1 ended in a 1-1 draw between the two teams. PSG remain at the head of the leaderboard, 11 points clear of Nice.