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Will there be a union of the lefts in the legislative elections? This question is being considered by the Socialists and the Insoumis this morning. Seven weeks before the election, the two political parties are meeting to discuss a possible alliance. The meeting will be at 10 am in Paris.

The Republicans almost unanimously reject any possibility of an agreement with the République en Marche. The members of the party met yesterday on this subject. President Christian Jacob reaffirmed the independence of his party, and added that Republicans who accept an appointment to the future government will be excluded. Emmanuel Macron should present his new ministers next week.

The State will have to pay more than 1.2 million euros to the city of Toulouse and to the metropolis following the Gilets Jaunes movement. This decision was made yesterday by the administrative court. This sum should make it possible to repair the damage caused by the various mobilizations between November 2018 and June 2019, damage for which the State is "civilly responsible", according to justice.

In the rest of the news, Poland and Bulgaria have announced that the Russian energy corporation Gazprom will cut off supply to these two countries today. This decision follows their refusal to pay gas in rubles.

Nearly 60% of Americans have already contracted covid at least once, according to a study by the American Centers for Disease Prevention and Control published last night. In February, nearly 190 million inhabitants had already tested positive at least once since the start of the health crisis. Young people have been particularly affected.