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Seven days after 15-year-old Lina went missing in the lower Rhine, there is still no trace of the teenager. A judicial investigation for kidnapping and illegal confinement was opened yesterday. A house was searched this weekend and its occupant was questioned by the police, but nothing more came of it. Lina was meant to take the train last Saturday to join her boyfriend in Strasbourg.

Emmanuel Macron is in the south-west today, in Tonneins in Lot et Garonne. Then he will be tonight's guest on the France 3 news from 7:15 p.m. to talk about security. The President is due announce the creation of 200 new gendarmerie brigades in rural areas.

Catherine Colonna, the head of French diplomacy will go to Armenia tomorrow. She will support the thousands of refugees who fled Nagorno Karabakh, after the military offensive led by Azerbaijan.

France's rural mayors put forward 35 measures over the weekend to encourage more French people to get involved in local politics. They fear that there won't be enough candidates for the next round of municipal elections. They have asked not to be punished in the event of sick leave, for better pay and access to training.

To football and last night saw the end of day 7 of the Ligue 1. After a series of 3 draws, Rennes won against Nantes 3-1.

And finally, today sees the start of Nobel Prizes being handed out. The first Nobel Prize today will be awarded for medicine, with the shortlist including research on narcolepsy and even the discovery of messenger RNA vaccines.