



## The News

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It was meant to bring together the political class. In the end, it is in dispersed order that the demonstration against anti-Semitism will take place on Sunday in Paris. Organized by the President of the Senate Gérard Larcher and the President of the National Assembly, Yaël Braun-Pivet, the gathering will occur without La France Insoumise. The party of Jean Luc Mélenchon will not parade due to the announced presence of the Rassemblement National in the procession. As for Prime Minister Elisabeth Borne, she confirmed her presence through the government spokesperson Olivier Véran.

Concerning the conflict in the Middle East: everyone has an interest in the humanitarian situation improving in Gaza, including Israel, declared the Elysée on the eve of the conference organized in Paris by Emmanuel Macron on the subject. The representatives of the Hebrew State will be absent, but the French president promises to speak with Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu at the end of this event.

The next few hours are likely to be complicated once again. Heavy rain is expected in the Pas de Calais. The department could go into red alert, as it is barely recovering from the floods of these past days. The equivalent to 3 months of precipitation fell in one week. As a consequence, there has been a lot of damage and many victims. The natural disaster commission will meet on November 14, as announced by the Minister of the Interior Gérald Darmanin today during his trip on site.

Chaos on the A43 and A432 motorways, which remained closed this morning after an accident last night involving a truck transporting cows. This happened in the town of Saint-Laurent-de-Mure. Some motorists had to sleep in their cars while waiting for instructions from the police. One driver even made a U-turn before driving in the opposite direction; he then hit a vehicle whose driver was transported to the hospital in critical condition.

And then the literary prize season continues. After the Goncourt yesterday, the Flore prize was awarded this evening to the novelist Maria Pourchet for "Western" - a novel about seduction and love after the MeToo movement.