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The parade of politicians continues at the *Salon de l'Agriculture*. Today is the second day for the head of the RN Jordan Bardella. The president of the LR Eric Ciotti and that of the PS Olivier Faure are also on site this Monday. Meanwhile in Brussels, it is the CAP which is on the agenda for the 27 ministers of agriculture, with the simplifications for the common agricultural policy expected as the anger of farmers continues to be expressed throughout Europe.

Ukraine is at the center of a meeting of European leaders this afternoon in Paris. Around twenty of them gathered at the Elysée to show their unity against Russia and reaffirm their support for Kiev, 2 years after the start of war. It is also today that Hungary must ratify Sweden's accession to NATO. The Hungarian Parliament is the last in the European Union to not yet have validated this enlargement of the Atlantic Alliance.

Also in the news, filing a police complaint will be made easier from today. The system was first tested in Sarthe and Yvelines then in Nouvelle-Aquitaine and is gradually deployed throughout the country, now accessible in Aisne, Nord, Pas de Calais and Somme. The decree that also allows for complaints to be filed online was published yesterday in the *Journal Officiel*. This concerns in particular complaints for violence, theft, willful damage and even cyberharassment. All departments will be concerned by this summer.

And 6 departments are now placed under Flood Alert. An orange alert is issued in Pas de Calais and Calvados where floods are in progress, but also Gironde, Dordogne, Charente and Charente-Maritime.

And the weather remains difficult in part of the country today: In Brittany, train traffic is disrupted after trees fell on the tracks. Difficulties also in the Var and the Alpes Maritimes with roads cut off due to heavy rain.