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Edouard Philippe has said that Emmanuel Macron made the decision to kill the presidential majority “alone”. The former prime minister then called for building a new parliamentary majority on broader bases.

Another former prime minister, Bernard Cazeneuve, has said that he was “angry” at the creation of the New Grassroots Front, saying that “never in history” had the left aligned with the extreme left. Yesterday, Cazeneuve was out and about in Charente Maritime to support the outgoing elected official, Olivier Falorni, who had sat with the Modem group.

Mayenne and Maine-et-Loire have been put back on amber weather alert for the risk of flooding. Yonne, Nièvre and Isère are also affected. The town centre of Craon in Mayenne has flooded and evacuated residents spent the night in a municipal campsite.

Nine further children and three adults have come down with unexplained illnesses in the Marne, three weeks after the first cases. At the beginning of June, around thirty children and adults from a school group in the town of Fère Champenoise suffered from identical symptoms. The possibilities of food poisoning or carbon monoxide have been ruled out. Investigations are still ongoing.

And finally, the Canadian actor Donald Sutherland died yesterday at the age of 88. He famously starred in “M.A.S.H” and more recently in the “Hunger Games” saga.