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The investigation into the death of Emile Soleil is moving forward as a planter that had been positioned outside the chapel of Haut-Vernet has now been seized. Investigators have only confirmed that the planter will be analysed by an expert, with no information on why. Emile Soleil was two years old when he went missing from the hamlet in Alpes de Haute Provence in summer 2023 and his remains were found by a hiker nine months later, 25 minutes from where he had originally disappeared.

Météo France has now put three départements on amber alert for snow and ice tomorrow: Creuse, Puy-de-Dôme and Allier. The snow is forecast to start at 6 a.m. and is set to be between 10 and 15 cm deep.

A 54-year-old woman was found dead in her home in the Vendée on Thursday. The public prosecutor of Roche-sur-Yon has said that the investigation's initial findings point to criminal wrongdoing as traces of blood were found and the victim's body was partly charred. For now, no arrests have been made.

Donald Trump has said that he has had "productive" discussions with Vladimir Putin as Volodymyr Zelensky has accused the Russian president of "sabotaging diplomacy". The Ukraine president said that Vladimir Putin was "setting extremely difficult and unacceptable conditions" to block the proposed ceasefire. Donald Trump said that he had urged the Russian president to "spare the lives" of Ukrainian soldiers on the front line.

Finally, to football and match day 26 of the Ligue 1 gets underway tonight with OGC Nice playing at home to AJ Auxerre. That match kicks off at 8.45pm.