France Hosts Climate Change Summit

PARIS— Political leaders and representatives of international organizations gathered at the “One Planet” conference held on Monday in Paris to address the plan to position the country as a leader in climate change. The French government, the United Nations, and the World Bank, in partnership with the United Nations Environment Programme and the World Trade Organization, have organized the conference. The summit’s focus is to explore how public-private partnerships can be used to revitalize local economies, attract private capital, and foster the transition to a low-carbon economy.

EU Official Urges Trump to Join Climate Shift

PERRY — The European Union’s top climate official says the shift in climate change is "unstoppable" and warns U.S. President Donald Trump’s government may not join to Paris. In an interview with the Associated Press, he said climate change is a "universal threat" and the U.S. and other nations must work together to address it.

UNICEF Calls for Making Digital World Safer for Children

BRUSSELS — The United Nations Children’s Fund (UNICEF) has called for urgent action to make the digital world safer for children, warning that online abuse and exploitation are increasing.

United States Pres. Donald Trump’s visit to Japan this week is expected to be a significant moment in U.S.-Japan relations, with discussions on strategic and economic issues expected to dominate.

China, Britain to Hold Economic, Financial Dialogue

BEIJING - China and Britain may hold their first economic and financial dialogue in December, the British embassy in Beijing said on Friday. The two countries have expressed their willingness to strengthen cooperation in various areas.

Sustainable Development Goals

The United Nations has formally adopted the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, which sets out 17 goals to end poverty, protect the planet and ensure prosperity for all. The goals are intended to be achieved by 2030, and they cover a wide range of issues, including health, education, and environmental sustainability.