'Shoah' To Be Screened In USSR

PARIS (JTA) - The French-made film "Shoah," which traces the Nazi extermination of six million Jews on the very grounds where the Holocaust occurred, will be shown in Moscow this week.

It will be part of French Film Week, and the French film industry will be displaying its most

important productions. "Shoah," which runs nine hours, will be screened in two parts at the Soviet film center,

Dom Kino, according to its director, Claude Lanzmann. The film, which has received international aclaim, already has been shown in Poland, where it drew large audiences.

Lanzmann said he hoped it also would be shown on Soviet television. The director of the Soviet television and radio authority announced he will attend the "Shoah" screening. He is ex-

Moscow with the French delegation.

B'nai B'rith Governors Seek Middle East Peace

pected to meet with Lanzmann, who will be in

WASHINGTON - B'nai B'rith's International Board of Governors, the organization's top policy-making body, called on the Arab world "to finally respond positively to Israel's quest for peace over the last 40 years." At the same time. the board stated that it "supports and encourages the government of Israel to negotiate a peaceful resolution in the area."

At its Washington meeting, the board noted that while the media portrayal of Israael has been unbalanced in recent days, B'nai B'rith "fully supports the objective of the government of Israel to quell the rioting in the most humane way possible and under the most provocative and difficult circumstances.'*'

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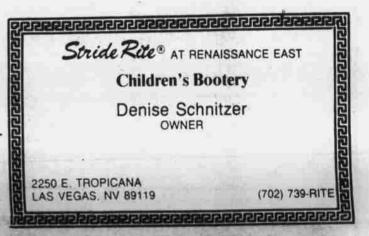
BERLIN (JTA) - An East Berlin court sentenced eight members of a "skinheads" group to jail terms of up to more than three years for attacking rock-music fans and yelling Nazi slogans at a church concert in October.

Michael McKinnon Bar Mitzvah At Temple Beth Sholom



(Photograph by Marvin)

Michael McKinnon, son of Dr. Harry & Debbi McKinnon, was called to the Torah as Bar Mitzvah recently. Dr. Louis M. Lederman, Rabbi, officiated. Hazzan Simon Bergman, Cantor, chanted the liturgy.



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