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W.S.I.S. PRAYER SCHEDULE

<i>Friday, April 5th</i>	
Light Sabbath Candles Before ...	6:07
Minchah	6:10
<i>Sat., April 6—SHABBOS HAGADOL</i>	
Morning Service	8:50
Sedrah: Tzav	
Halachic Discourse by Rabbi Reichel	
Junior Congregation	11:00
Rabbi Reichel's Talmud Class	
(in English)	5:00
Rabbi Pekier's Talmud Class	
(in Yiddish)	5:00
Minchah	6:00
Reader of Service: David Kahn	
Seudah Shlishis	
Host: Vice-Pres. William Foont	
Sabbath Terminates	7:02
<i>Week of April 7th</i>	
Sunday Morning	7:15, 8:30
Mon. thru Thurs.	6:45, 7:50
Minchah Daily—Followed by	
Exposition of Halachos	
by Rabbi Reichel	6:15
Wed.—Rabbi Pekier's Talmud Class	
	8:00
<i>Friday, April 12—EREV PESACH</i>	
Morning Services — Followed by	
Siyumim for Bechorim ...	6:40, 7:40
Eat No Chometz After	9:30
Burning of Chometz	10:35
Light Sabbath and Festival Candles	
Before	6:13
Minchah	6:10

MATZOH OF OPPRESSION

It is appropriate that at the Seder we take to heart the plight of our brethren behind the Iron Curtain. Thus after partaking of the matzoh, we are to set aside another matzoh and recite the following:

We set aside this Lechem Oni, matzoh of oppression, to remember our three million brethren in the Soviet Union, most of whom cannot observe the mitzvah of matzoh tonight. Nor can they freely teach their children the heritage of their fathers.

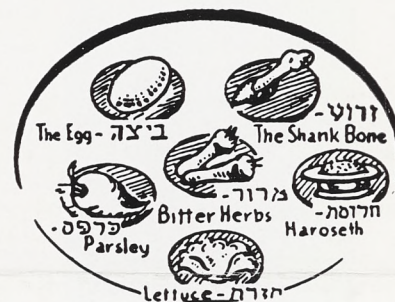
Our voices shall be joined by men of conscience aroused by the injustice imposed on Soviet Jews. Then shall they know they have not been forgotten, and they that sit in darkness shall yet see a great light.

CONGREGATIONAL SEDER RESERVATIONS MUST BE IN OUR OFFICE BY APRIL 9th

Our Congregational Sedorim will be held at the Hotel Esplanade, West End Avenue and 74th Street. On Friday night Rabbi Reichel will officiate and on Saturday night Rabbi Riskin of the neighboring Lincoln Square Synagogue will officiate. The charge for each Seder is \$15. Checks should be made payable to "Esplanade Caterers," and mailed to our office.

Please note that on Friday evening the Seder will begin at 7:10 and on Saturday evening at 7:30.

<i>Saturday, April 13—PASSOVER I</i>	
TAL	
Morning Service	8:50
Junior Congregation	11:00
Minchah	6:20
Reader of Service: Johanan Levine	
Reader of Torah: Robert Levine	
Light Festival Candles After	
Sabbath Terminates	7:10
<i>Sunday, April 14—PASSOVER II</i>	
Morning Service	8:50
Junior Congregation	11:00
Rabbi Reichel's Talmud Class	5:25
Rabbi Pekier's Talmud Class	5:25
Minchah	6:25
Festival Terminates	7:12
<i>Week of April 15th—CHOL HAMOED</i>	
Mon. thru Thurs.	6:30, 7:40
Minchah (thru Wed.)	6:25



<i>Thurs., April 18—EREV YOM TOV</i>	
ERUV TAVSHILIN	
Light Festival Candles	6:20
Minchah	6:30
<i>Friday, April 19th—PASSOVER VII</i>	
Morning Service	8:50
Junior Congregation	11:00
Talmud Classes	5:30
Light Sabbath and Festival	
Candles Before	6:25
Minchah	6:30
<i>Saturday, April 20—PASSOVER VIII</i>	
Morning Service—YIZKOR	8:30
Junior Congregation	11:00
Talmud Classes	5:25
Minchah	6:25
Reader of Service: Levi Pekier	
Reader of Torah: Roy Stern	
Sabbath and Festival Terminates	7:19
<i>Week of April 21st</i>	
Sunday Morning	7:15, 8:30
Mon. thru Fri.	6:45, 7:50
Minchah Daily	6:35
<i>Friday, April 26th</i>	
Light Sabbath Candles Before	6:28

MAIL YOUR RESERVATIONS NOW FOR OUR U.J.A. BRUNCH IN HONOR OF RABBI AND MRS. REICHEL TO BE HELD SUNDAY, MAY 5, AT 11 A.M.

Mr. A. M. Druckman, General Chairman
Mr. H. H. Cohen, Brunch Chairman
WSIS UJA Committee
120 West 76 St., New York City 10023

I (We) shall be pleased to attend the W.S.I.S. Brunch honoring Rabbi and Mrs. O. Asher Reichel on behalf of the United Jewish Appeal on Sunday morning, May 5, at 11:00 o'clock in the Grand Ballroom.

(Couvert \$2 per couple, \$1 per person)

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RABBI O. ASHER REICHEL.....Editor

GUEST OF HONOR**AT UOJCA DINNER MAY 5th****Jess Ward**

At the Annual Dinner of the Union of Orthodox Jewish Congregations of America which will be held at the Americana Hotel on Sunday, May 5th, Trustee Jess Ward will be the Guest of Honor. The Sephardic Chief Rabbi of the Holy Land, Hakham Itzak Nissim, will grace this event.

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Passover

NOTES

Shabbos Hagadol

The Sabbath before Passover (April 6th) is called "Shabbos Hagadol" or the Great Sabbath. At the Minchah service we read a part of the Passover Haggadah. It is also customary for the Rabbi to deliver a discourse on laws relating to the Festival that day. Rabbi Reichel will again deliver the "Drashah" at the morning service.

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What Is Chometz?

Wheat, rye, barley, spelt and oats, in contact with water become chometz unless prepared according to Jewish law. During the Passover week the minutest amount of chometz when mixed with any other food, would render the whole chometz.

All vegetables and fruits may be used except rice, millet, peas and beans.

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Sale of Chometz

Rabbi Pekier will be available for the sale of Chometz until 10 o'clock Erev Pesach morning.

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Kashering

We set aside special dishes and utensils for the festival. However, under certain conditions, some of the utensils used throughout the year may also be used on Passover. Metal pots and pans can be kashered by first thoroughly cleaning them at least a day before, and then purging them in a pot of boiling water. Utensils used directly over the fire may be kashered by placing them directly over the fire, allowing them to get red-hot. Glassware should be scoured and then soaked in water for three days, changing the water every twenty-four hours. Earthenware cannot be kashered.

The Synagogue facilities for public kashering of vessels will be available on Sunday, April 7th, and Thursday, April 11th, from 9:00 A.M. to 12:00 noon.

Every part of the oven or stove which may have been reached by food during the year, must be thoroughly cleaned and scraped. The oven and range must then be heated to a glow. Special tin sheets are placed over the top of the range.

MEN'S CLUB NOTES**MEETING APRIL 15th**

A regular meeting will be held on Monday evening, April 15th at 8:00 p.m. Please note the early time so that we may have more leisure during the social hour when Pesachdig refreshments will be served.

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We need a much stronger effort to obtain merchandise for our forthcoming Bazaar.

Fast of the First-Born

Every first born should fast on Erev Passover, in thankfulness to G-d for having spared the first born of the Israelites when he smote those of the Egyptians. One may forego the fast if he participates in the customary "Siyum Bechorim" which takes place right after the morning services.

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Search for Leaven

The search for leaven should be conducted on Thursday evening, April 11th, as soon as possible after sunset. The appropriate blessing and the Aramaic formula, "Kol Chamira" should be recited (most Haggadahs have these texts). The latter declares that we wish to annul and "declare as the dust of the earth" all manner of leaven which we did not find during the search.

The entire household (especially the children) should take part in the search.

The crumbs which were collected in the search the night before should be burned by 10:30 on Friday morning. At this time the second "Kol Chamira" formula should be recited.

No matzah may be eaten on Erev Passover because we should eat matzah at the Seder in the evening with appetite.

HEBREW SCHOOL NOTES

Our pupils will conduct a Model Seder on Tuesday at 3:30 p.m. Parents and the friends of our youngsters are welcome.

All our children are expected at the Junior Congregation on the Passover days. Kiddush refreshments.

Classes will be resumed the day after Yom Tov, Sunday morning, April 21st.

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PASSOVER NOTES

Counting Of The Omer

The Counting of the Omer begins on the second night of Passover, Saturday, April 13th, and continues each evening until Shevuos.

The "Omer" is a measure of barley which was offered at the Temple, after which the Jews were permitted to eat the new harvest.

During this period of counting the Omer many tragedies occurred in latter times. Wedding celebrations and other joyous occasions involving music are avoided. A Rabbi should be consulted concerning those days on which exceptions are made.

SEFIRA CHECK LIST

Night of	Omer	Night of	Omer
Sat. Apr. 13	1	Apr. 20	8
Sun. Apr. 14	2	Apr. 21	9
Mon. Apr. 15	3	Apr. 22	10
Tues. Apr. 16	4	Apr. 23	11
Wed. Apr. 17	5	Apr. 24	12
Thurs. Apr. 18	6	Apr. 25	13
Fri. Apr. 19	7	Apr. 26	14

Eruv Tavshilin Thursday, April 18

It is not permissible to cook, bake or prepare food on one day of Yom Tov for the next day or for the Sabbath. The "Eruv Tavshilin" set aside prior to the Festival, enables the housewife to cook on Friday Yom Tov for the Sabbath. Inasmuch as this year the last day of Passover falls on Saturday, the ceremony of Eruv Tavshilin should be performed on Chol Hamoed Thursday.

A matzah and some cooked food, such as fish or an egg are placed on a plate. The head of the house lifts the plate and recites the following: "Boruch ataw a-do-elo-kenu me-lech ha-olam asher kid'sha-nu b'mitzvot v'tzi-va-nu al mitzvas e-ruv . . . By virtue of this Eruv, be it permitted to us to bake, cook, keep food warm, light the candles, and do all that is necessary on the Festival for the Sabbath." On Saturday afternoon the food thus prepared on Thursday may be eaten.

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WOMEN'S LEAGUEOPEN MEETING TO BE HELD ON
MONDAY, APRIL 29 —
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All who attended our Children's Village Luncheon in our Grand Ballroom enjoyed a delightful afternoon. Our thanks to Chairman Jeannette Jacobs, President Madeline Wedeen and Vice-President Lillian Ettlinger for the lovely spring atmosphere among the "yellow daffodils" which decorated the tables; to Mrs. Lillian Levine for the colorful napkins; to the patronesses who helped defray the expenses and who filled our treasure chest; to those who helped at the door, in the kitchen and during the luncheon. A special thanks to Miss Thelma Riess who played the piano for us. To sum up, bouquets to all who attended to make this event a most successful financial and social undertaking.

Shir HaShirim

On Saturday morning, the last day of Passover, the Biblical book, "Song of Songs," is chanted preceding the reading of the Torah. This beautiful series of songs by King Solomon are a poetic illustration of the love of G-d for His people, Israel.

Chometz After Passover

Chometz products in the possession of a Jew during Passover are considered "chometz sheavar alav ha-Pesach" — prohibited products held during Passover. We are not permitted to derive any benefit from such products. At the conclusion of Passover, one should not use any Jewish baked products until we are certain that the products have been freshly baked.

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A meeting of the Buddy Friedman Post of the Jewish War Veterans will be held on Tuesday night, April 23rd. Veterans are welcome to join our Post.

CONDOLENCES

We sorrowfully record the passing of the following of our Congregational Family and extend our sympathy to their dear ones:

Julius F. Figdor — our member, brother of Mrs. Julia Marmorek.

Pauline Hurwitz — our Women's League member, mother of Mrs. Walter Freeman, W. L. Board Secretary.

Sarah Meltsner — mother of Miss Rebecca Meltsner.

Charles Newman — son-in-law of our Women's League member, Mrs. Irma Rosenblum.

YIZKOR SERVICES

On the last day of Passover, Saturday, April 20th, Memorial Services will be recited. The following form may be filled out and delivered to the Synagogue office by April 17th.

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By Sanford Solarz

Congregational Citations of Merit to our Women's League Honorary President, Mrs. Samuel W. Siegel, who was a chairman of the annual Yeshiva University Women's Organization Donor Luncheon; and to Mr. Joseph Weisenfeld, son of our members, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Weisenfeld, who was admitted to the Pennsylvania Bar and is now a "Philadelphia lawyer." . . . Seeking a practical outlet for his professional chores is a member of the Political Science faculty at Brooklyn College. Ye Columnist's son, Stephen, is a candidate for nomination by the Democratic Party in the June primaries as Assemblyman for the 45th Assembly district in Brooklyn . . . Mazel Tov to our Women's League member, Mrs. Julius Lipman, upon the engagement of her granddaughter, Sara, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Needle, to Michael, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eisenman . . . All good wishes in their new home to Mr. and Mrs. Olek Lejbzon . . . Our prayers for a speedy recovery to Mr. Abe Glaser, Trustee Harry Schetzen, Mrs. Theodore Mann and to Trustee Albert H. Colin . . . Welcome home from points south to Trustee and Mrs. Albert H. Colin, Trustee and Mrs. Jess E. Gross, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Perlman, Mr. Daniel Pressner, Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Gottlieb, Mr. Abraham Krumbein and Dr. and Mrs. Michael Weingarten . . . Listen to Radio Station WEVD (AM or FM) when our member, Mr. B. David Drenger, will speak on the Haggadah.

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