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Collection of short treatises partly (nos. 1-5) copied from the Mantua 1623 edition of *Tapuhei Zahav* by Jehiel Melli.

1. Ff. 1r-3r: Ethical letter from Moses b. Nahman to his son.

2. F. 3r-3v: List of Biblical verses to be recited every day attributed to Judah ha-Hasid.

3. Ff. 3v-5r: Poem recited each day at the Throne of Honour. Begins: "תהלל ורيرة וברכה ..." Poem is attributed to Elijah de Vidas.

4. F. 5r: Prayer beginning "אל-יה ידעתי כי אשמתי ...".

5. F. 5r-5v: Another prayer beginning "אנא ה' תהי נא אז鄣ך ...".

6. F. 6r-6v: List of passages from *Reshit Hokhmah* by Elijah de Vidas to be recited on each day of the month.

7. Ff. 7r-19v: *Tikkunei ha-Shabbat*, kabbalistic service for the Sabbath by Abraham ha-Levi. In the printed editions the author is described as a pupil of Moses Cordovero, but in this manuscript and in LC Hebr. Ms 8, he is curiously considered to be the author of *Reshit Hokhmah* and *Tozaot Hayyim*.

Between ff. 6 and 7 there is a stub from a torn leaf with remnants of an owner’s inscription. One of five manuscripts in the same script in the LOC. Two more of these manuscripts, LC Hebr. Mss 7 and 96, were also copied from the same 1623 edition. LC Hebr. Mss 15 and 172 were also copied by the same scribe.
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