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**Finding Aid to the Arizona Citizen Interview with Mariana Dias by A. P. K. Safford and Samuel Hughes MS.555**

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**creator:** Safford, A. P. K. (Anson Peasley Keeler), d. 1891

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**Scope and Contents**

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Note at header of manuscript: Mrs. Lizzie Hughes Corbett says her father was in the habit of giving such papers to his children for use in the schools when they were required to prepare composition papers. This is marked "Maggie" and was evidently so used.

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