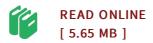




## Lady Law: The Story of Arizona Supreme Court Justice Lorna Lockwood (Paperback)

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Brighton Publishing LLC, United States, 2012. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 213 x 140 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book \*\*\*\*\* Print on Demand \*\*\*\*\*. In the mid-1940s a group of women asked the governor of Arizona to appoint Lorna Lockwood to a vacancy on the Superior Court. His response was, No woman is capable of being a judge. Having faced that kind of prejudice all of her life, she ran in the next election-and won. Ten years later, in 1960, she ran for a position on the State Supreme Court-and won again. And in 1965, she became the first woman chief justice on any state supreme court in America. Lorna, upon her retirement commented, I had to work twice as hard to be considered for those posts because I was a woman. Lorna was born in 1903 on the southern border of the Arizona Territory in the mining town of Douglas when it was under the protection of the Arizona Rangers. Shoot-outs over gambling debts in saloons and dance halls, along with violence from the Mexican Revolution occasionally spilling across the border, were common. In 1913, Lorna s father left his law practice in Douglas to become the Superior Court...



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