

*Oral History of***JUSTICE MILDRED L. LILLIE**

CALIFORNIA COURT OF APPEAL

EDITOR'S NOTE

The oral history of Justice Lillie was recorded by attorney Mary Louise Blackstone of the former State Bar Committee on History of Law in California, in two sessions: November 20, 1989, and July 26, 1990, in which she taped and later transcribed the narrative presented by Justice Lillie.

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