

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES,
EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

April Session, 1907. No. 27.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
VS.
READING COMPANY ET AL.

DECREE.

Per Curiam:

The matter of the petitions of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company with respect to two certain coal purchase contracts, the one with the George F. Lee Coal Company and the other with the Peoples Coal Company; of the Hillside Coal and Iron Company with respect to a coal purchase contract with the Lackawanna Coal Company, Limited; and of the New York Susquehanna and Western Coal Company with respect to a coal purchase contract with Jermyn & Company, having been referred to this Court by the mandate of the Supreme Court of the United States, with directions to this Court to make such further orders and decrees, if any, with respect to said contracts after hearing as might be necessary in order to carry out the man-

date of the Supreme Court, and testimony having been taken with respect to the said contracts and submitted to this Court;

Now, on January 29th, 1914, after hearing and upon consideration, it is ordered, adjudged and decreed as follows:

That the original petition is dismissed as to the coal purchase contract by and between The Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company and George F. Lee Coal Company, the coal purchase contract by and between The Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company and the Peoples Coal Company, the coal purchase contract by and between the Hillside Coal and Iron Company and the Lackawanna Coal Company, Limited, and the coal purchase contract by and between the New York, Susquehanna and Western Coal Company and Jermyn & Company; but without prejudice to the right of the United States to challenge the legality of said contracts or any of them in any other suit or proceeding.

Filed January 29, 1914.