September 24, 1923.

Mr. Jesse L. Boyce.

Williams, Arizona.

My dear Jesse:

As you will note by the enclosed letter, I submitted to the National Park Service the additional representations you made on the situation at Grand Canyon, and particularly directed Mr. Cammerer's attention to the apparent attempt of Superintendent Crosby to misrepresent you in this matter, as intimated in your letter.

Although the Acting Director appears to be reasonably confident that the present location for the storage of this explosive is satisfactory. it is his intention, however, to ask Mr. Crosby to make a further investigation, so that his previous conclusions may be free from doubt as to whether any thing further can be done to insure greater safety to the public, along the lines of your former suggestion.

I shall write you again as soon as I am later advised. With best wishes, I am

Yours very sincerely.

J.E.Gavin, Secretary.