

1 You said that what arrested your forward motion
2 with Mr. Kister was your own head hitting the wall. Is
3 that right?

4 A. What I did, sir, is I fell over him. When he
5 twisted, I was hanging over him, and I kind of rolled back
6 off of him and my head hit the wall; that's when I grabbed
7 the wainscoting and got back on my feet.

8 Q. You rolled kind of backwards off of him?

9 A. I rolled sort of sideways off of him. We were
10 right against the wall to begin with.

11 Q. Okay. And what part of your head was it that hit
12 the wall?

13 A. Right over here (pointing).

14 Q. Okay.

15 A. This part of my head hit the drywall.

16 Q. So sort of the top right part of your head.

17 A. It didn't hurt. It just thumped.

18 Q. It kind of stopped you --

19 A. It stopped me. And I reached, got the wall.

20 Q. Now, how long had it been since the surgery at
21 this point? That was February; is that right?

22 A. Ten months.

23 Q. Ten months. Did they tell you how long it would
24 take for the vertebra to fuse?

25 A. They told me that it would take perhaps a year