(Whereupon, in open court.)

THE COURT: Please be seated. Good afternoon.

Mr. Smith, you are standing.

MR. SMITH: I am indeed, Your Honor. Thank you.

THE COURT: That was an astute observation on my part.

Go ahead.

MR. SMITH: I am not as quick with the tongue, Your Honor, but I am learning.

Be that as it may, but we have a couple of matters. I don't know whether the Court wants to wait until Dr. Hill is off the stand --

THE COURT: Why don't we do that, wait until Dr. Hill is concluded.

He wants to spend as little time as possible in the courtroom.

MR. SMITH: We have some objections to what Mr. Williams would like to do this afternoon, so we will do it out of the jury's presence.