from letter (Hawaii, W 42.)

P-38 crewman

Do they have a record there of the flight engineer on a B-24 that fell through the bomb-bay door on the runway? At first we all thought it was a bundle of rags, but it got up and walked, so they took him to the base hospital. He had no broken bones, but ~~his~~ he was scratched all over and his clothes were torn to shreds. He was full of booze. I heard that the doctor said if he hadn't been drunk, it probably would have killed him.