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board. So I think that says something about his knowledge and dedication.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: What does it say about his knowledge and dedication?

SENATOR BAKER: That he's respected by his peers, and has been on all these task forces and so on.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Do you know any of his peers?

SENATOR BAKER: Yes. They were there with them. There were other appointees. There was two of them.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Did you know them before they came before you?

SENATOR BAKER: I have met them, but I can't say that I know them, no.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Can you testify to their good character and their having been in a position to know and judge of his capabilities? You don't really know that for sure?

SENATOR BAKER: No, I don't.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Okay, but they appear to be decent, upstanding, responsible, patriotic, American, law-abiding citizens, more or less?

SENATOR BAKER: Yes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you, Senator Baker. I appreciate your help this morning, and I will vote for Mr. Acklie, and if you see him,...

SENATOR CUDABACK: Time, Senator.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...tell him it's as a result of your persuasive presentation. Thank you, Mr. President.