

it might have started off as a political, she was a political pawn, and the situation got out of control and she took it—

Senator SPECTER. So, you think she is deliberately not telling the truth, as opposed to saying something that she thinks might have happened, when, in fact, it didn't?

Ms. ALVAREZ. Yes, because I did not know her personally well enough to make a judgment on her personality and whether she was capable of that fantasy. My only way of looking at it is that it is a professional, I mean it is a personal move on her part, to advance her.

Senator SPECTER. Ms. Berry, you have the final comment. You had started off with a quotation of the New York Times, which I asked Professor Hill about, saying that you thought there might have been a romantic interest that was denied. Do you think that—well, you've already said you don't think she's the kind of person that makes something up, but you disbelieve what she said. Do you think that, based on your knowledge of her, that there could be a situation where she thinks it happened, but, in fact, it did not?

Ms. BERRY. A point I would like to make, I was listening some to Mr. Carr's testimony this morning or today, and he had indicated that Anita said to him that "I was harassed by my supervisor." Clarence Thomas was not the only supervisor that Anita had, and Mr. Carr seemed to make this gigantic leap, because he knew that she was on Clarence Thomas' personal staff, that the supervisor that she must have been referring to was Clarence Thomas.

Senator SPECTER. Who were others who could be classified as a supervisor?

Ms. BERRY. Mr. Roggeron was her supervisor in Congressional Affairs, and when I succeeded him to Congressional Affairs, he became the Executive Assistant, and so he was also her supervisor. How can I say this? Mr. Roggeron doesn't have such an impeccable reputation.

Senator SPECTER. So, you think, in the case of one of the witnesses this morning, Professor Paul might just have the wrong man?

Ms. BERRY. I am saying that's possible. He seemed to make that—he didn't identify. He said, "Anita Hill said to me that she was being harassed by her supervisor," and he said, "I dominated the conversation and, because she worked for Clarence Thomas, it must have been Clarence Thomas."

The CHAIRMAN. Senator, it is time to switch.

Senator SPECTER. If I may make just one more comment, Mr. Chairman. I had not heard what Senator Kennedy said this morning, and I waited until I got a transcript of the record, because I didn't want to make a comment, without being precise as to what Senator Kennedy had said.

When I got a transcript of the record about 15 minutes ago, I told Senator Kennedy that I was going to raise this point, because I strongly disagree with what he said, but I wanted to be sure, before I took issue with it.

When Senator Kennedy had a turn earlier today, he said, "But I hope, Mr. Chairman, that after this panel, we are not going to hear any more comments unworthy, unsubstantiated comments, unjusti-