

THE ROOM WHERE IT HAPPENS

"No one really knows how the game is played, The art of the trade, how the sausage gets made We just assume that it happens

But no one else is in the room where it happens"

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 Ω Take the first letter of each word

each person says

Jefferson: State Capitals

Hamilton: Numbers (For Shifting)

Madison: Instructions

Not only does no one truly know what happened during the Dinner Table Bargain in 1790, but little is known about the planning that went into it. All we have to go on are Thomas Jefferson's stated claims (often abbreviated), Alexander Hamilton's calculated comments, and James Madison's guiding words. With only the **initial** information from their round table discussion, see if you can figure out which expert they took inspiration from.

