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THE DEADLY PARALLEL

LET THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS CHOOSE BETWEEN THE TWO

SIMMONS or BAILEY

RECORD OF Senator Furnifold M. Simmons

OF NEW BERN, N. C.

Born January 20th, 1854. Age 76 Years

Entered Senate in March, 1901—Nearly 30 Years' Continuous Service

Voted in Year	FOR PRESIDENT	FOR GOVERNOR NORTH CAROLINA
1876	Samuel J. Tilden, Democrat	Zebulon B. Vance, Democrat
1880	Winfield Scott Hancock, Democrat	Thomas J. Jarvis, Democrat
1884	Grover Cleveland, Democrat	Alfred M. Scales, Democrat
1888	Grover Cleveland, Democrat	Daniel J. Fowel, Democrat
1892	Grover Cleveland, Democrat	Elias Carr, Democrat
1896	Wm. Jennings Bryan, Democrat	Cyrus B. Watson, Democrat
1900	Wm. Jennings Bryan, Democrat	Chas. B. Aycock, Democrat
1904	Alton B. Parker, Democrat	Robert B. Glenn, Democrat
1908	Wm. Jennings Bryan, Democrat	Wm. W. Kitchin, Democrat
1912	Woodrow Wilson, Democrat	Locke Craig, Democrat
1916	Woodrow Wilson, Democrat	Thos. W. Bickett, Democrat
1920	James M. Cox, Democrat	Cameron Morrison, Democrat
1924	John W. Davis, Democrat	Angus W. McLean, Democrat
1928	(Did not vote—passed up this box only—Al Smith being the nominee).	O. Max Gardner, Democrat

Served in Year SIMMONS AS DEMOCRATIC STATE CHAIRMAN, AND OTHERS

*1892	Simmons, State Chairman—Carr elected Governor, State carried for Grover Cleveland.
1894	James H. Pou, State Chairman—The State was lost.
1896	Clement Manly, State Chairman—The State Ticket was lost.
*1898	Simmons, State Chairman (First White Supremacy Campaign)—The State was redeemed.
*1900	Simmons, State Chairman—Aycock elected Governor, the State carried for Wm. Jennings Bryan, the Constitutional Amendment adopted disfranchising illiterate negro voters.
*1902	Simmons, State Chairman—The State carried electing Walter Clark Chief Justice.
*1904	Simmons, State Chairman—The State carried for Parker for President, and Robt. E. Glenn for Governor.
*1906	Simmons, State Chairman—The State carried.
*1907	Simmons, State Chairman—State Prohibition adopted, and Simmons retired permanently from the State Chairmanship.

He has voted 13 Democratic tickets in Presidential elections, 27 Democratic tickets in Congressional elections, 27 Democratic tickets in State elections, and 27 Democratic tickets in County elections.

A Democrat—Active, Able, Fearless, Honest and True. He will never "sell the truth to serve the hour." Woodrow Wilson's main strength and source of reliance in the Senate in putting through important Democratic measures.

WOODROW WILSON'S ESTIMATE OF SIMMONS

"The close association I have been privileged to have with you has, permit me to say, made me admire your character and abilities alike as a party colleague and as a personal friend. I hope and believe that many years lie before you in which you can continue to be highly useful to your party and your country. This little letter is just a heartfelt expression of sympathy and of personal esteem. I hope that at the next session of Congress I shall see you in full health and vigor again when affairs will once again stand in need of the best guidance and devotion we can devote to them as party colleagues and patriots. Please, my dear senator, accept my assurances of warm regard and think of me always as your sincere friend." (From his letter dated Sunday, February 18, 1923, and copied in the News and Observer of February 21, 1923).

RECORD OF Mr. Josiah William Bailey

RALEIGH, N. C.

Born September 10, 1873. Age 57 Years

(Now a Practicing Attorney, and a Candidate for the U. S. Senate)

In Year	AUTHORITY
1898	Bailey charged by the Wilmington Messenger with being a Republican replied, "I am an Independent and always have been." —J. W. Bailey's letter of August 13, 1898.
1898	Bailey thanked God that Democratic Party could not carry an election in North Carolina. —J. W. Bailey's editorial in Biblical Recorder of Nov. 16, 1898.
1898	Bailey sneered at White Supremacy Issue in North Carolina. —J. W. Bailey's editorial in Biblical Recorder of Nov. 23, 1898.
1898	Bailey opposed Separate Cars for White and Colored races in North Carolina (Now the Law under Consolidated Statutes, No. 3194). —J. W. Bailey's Editorial in Biblical Recorder of Nov. 30, 1898.
1898	Bailey advocated reduction of North Carolina's Representation in Congress. —J. W. Bailey's editorial in Biblical Recorder of Dec. 7, 1898.
1898	Bailey Eulogized Governor Russell and Served on Board of Agriculture with Negro, Jim Young. —J. W. Bailey's editorial in Biblical Recorder of Dec 21, 1898.
1899	Bailey opposed to his belonging to any Party whatever. —J. W. Bailey's editorial in Biblical Recorder of April 6, 1899.
1900	Bailey Discouraged White Supremacy Issue made by Simmons and other good Democrats. —J. W. Bailey's editorial in Biblical Recorder of April 25, 1900.
1900	Bailey said Parties should be known by their Fruits. "Every Man Owes It To His Country To Vote as His Conscience Bids Him. We honor Wm. J. Bryan for saying this." —J. W. Bailey's editorial in Biblical Recorder of Oct. 24, 1900.
1900	Bailey supported McKinley, Republican for President in 1900, and threatened to Bolt as a protest if the Negro Question was injected into the National Campaign, so Mr. Josephus Daniels says. —Josephus Daniels' letter in News and Observer of Dec. 24, 1903.
1900	Bailey preached Republican Insidiously which began to Unsettle the political life of a few life-long Democrats. —Josephus Daniels in News and Observer of Dec. 24, 1903.
1904	Bailey Advocated Abandonment of Party if the Party adopted a policy he could not approve. —J. W. Bailey's editorial in Biblical Recorder of May 11, 1904.
1904	Bailey urged Bolting and Independentism, saying "The One King is Conscience and he has no rival whatever," and further when his pen was in his hand "He Was For No Party Whatever." —J. W. Bailey's editorial in Biblical Recorder of Sept. 7, 1904.
1907	Bailey was against State Prohibition and National Prohibition, saying that National Prohibition was unenforceable and a delusion, and State Prohibition a failure. —J. W. Bailey's editorial in Biblical Recorder of Sept. 28, 1904.
1904	Bailey Said that the Only Remedy Against the Enemies of the Republic is Independent Action. The Slogan: "My Party Right or Wrong," plays Right into the Hands of the Man who Wants it Wrong." —J.W. Bailey's article in the South Atlantic Quarterly of April, 1907
1908	Bailey said he was an Independent Democrat and further "I Scratched a Judge Once Because He Was a Drunkard. I would Scratch a Drunkard Again. Would You?" —J. W. Bailey's letter of April 17, 1908 to Webster's Weekly.
1908	Bailey said "I Am Independent in That I would not vote for Immoral Men or Measures if all the Democratic Parties in the World Should Support Them. I am Independent in the Sense that I owe my Allegiance to my God, and My Conscience and State above the Allegiance that I owe to my Party." —J. W. Bailey's letter of April 11, 1908, to Webster's Weekly.

But they say Senator Simmons ought to be punished. Fellow Democrats, study the record of these two candidates, and then see if you are not forcibly and honestly driven to ask yourself the question:

PUNISH HIM FOR WHAT?

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