

President William Howard Taft

- TR doesn't run for reelection--believes Taft will carry on where he left off
- Breaks up more trusts, approves laws that improve working conditions
- Raises tariffs--loses Progressive support
- TR decides to run in 1912

Election of 1912

- Republican: Taft
- Progressive Republicans (Bull Moose Party): Roosevelt
- Democrat: Woodrow Wilson
- Wilson wins because of the split Republicans