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Chapter 20 Sections 1-3

Reading Focus Questions

1. Define and describe the Progressive Era.
2. How did Teddy Roosevelt exemplify his motto “Speak softly and carry a Big Stick” during his presidency?
3. How did middle class reformers attempt to make change in society?
4. Describe the successes and disappointments of William Howard Taft.
5. How did the Progressive Party form and how did they impact the election of 1912?