

**Gifford Pinchot and Sustainable Forest Management**  
**Study Questions**

1. Should Gifford Pinchot send the letter to Senator Dolliver and risk being dismissed by President Taft? Does he have other strategies available for accommodating the wishes of the President?
2. How did Pinchot succeed in defying the wishes of Speaker Cannon in arranging for the transfer of forests from the Interior Department to USDA?
3. What in Pinchot's background contributed to his success as a bureaucrat?