

Zachary Taylor (1849-1850)

- 1 term in office
- Mexican war hero
- Early 1850 led conference with southern states who threatened secession
- At July 4th ceremonies he ate cherries and milk, and fell in. Within five days he died
- Richard, his son, served as a general in the Confederate Army

Millard Fillmore (1850-1853)

- 1 term in office
- Succeeded from Vice President, on the death of Zachary Taylor
- Compromise of 1850
- Vice president-none
 - Secretary of state, Daniel Webster (1850-1852), Edward Everett (1852-1853)
 - Fugitive Slave Act-1852
 - Myth- Fillmore installed the first bathtub in the white house
 - Last U.S. president who was neither Democrat or Republican (except Abe Lincoln, Union Ticket)
 - Fillmore, Utah was named after him
 - Bill to admit California to the Union
 - Sent Stephen Douglas of Illinois presented 5 bills to congress:
 1. Admit California as a free state
 2. Settle the Texas boundary and compensate.
 3. Grant territorial status to New Mexico
 4. Place Federal officers at the disposal of slaveholders seeking fugitives.
 5. Abolish slave trade in the district of Columbia
 - Died March 8, 1874