**Notes: 1930s/Great Depression Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**1930’s VOCABULARY – Use the PPT: 1930s PowerPoint and web sources to define:**

1. Bull Market -

2. Buying on Margin -

3. Speculation -

4. Stock Market Crash – When? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ What happened?

5. Bear Market -

6. Great Depression -

7. Hoovervilles -

## 8. Dust Bowl –

9. Okies –

10. Fireside chats –

11. New Deal -

**1930’s and the Great Depression**

POWERPOINT PRESENTATION

12. For most of the 1920’s there was a \_\_\_*\_\_\_\_\_\_*\_ market.

13. A \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is when the stock market was doing well and stock prices were \_\_\_*\_\_\_\_*\_\_\_.

14. TWO Problems with the stock market:

* Buying stocks on \_\_\_\_*\_\_\_\_*\_\_\_- buying stocks using \_\_\_*\_\_*\_\_, not cash
* **Speculation**- buying stocks in the hope of making a *\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_*\_\_\_

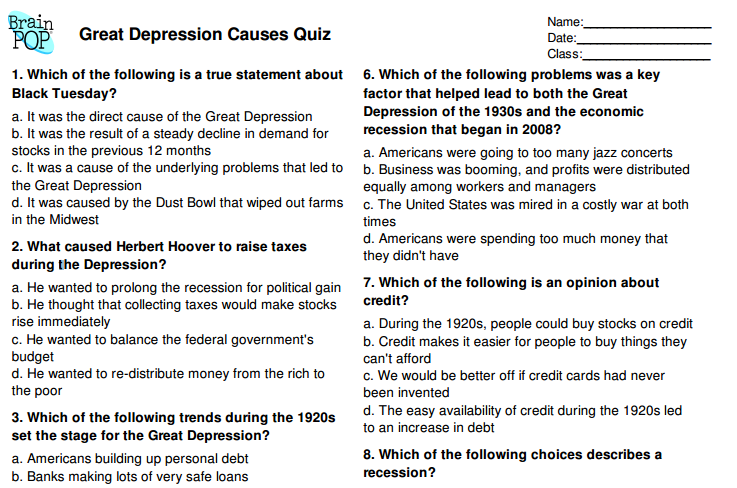
15. From 1929-1932 there was a \_\_\_\_*\_\_\_*\_\_\_\_\_\_- A \_\_\_*\_\_\_\_* market is when the stock market was NOT doing well and stock prices \_\_*\_\_\_\_*\_\_\_

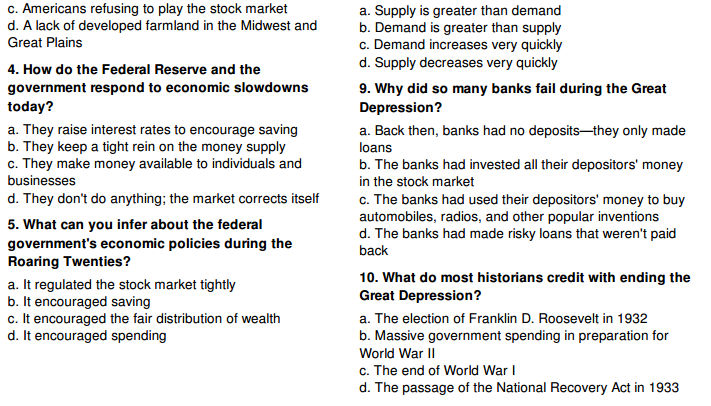
**Stock Market Crash**

16. Everyone tried to \_\_*\_\_\_*\_\_\_ their stocks and the stocks became \_\_\_\_\_\_*\_\_*\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

17. When the stock market crashed, people went to the banks to get their money, but it was \_\_\_\_*\_\_*\_\_! ***Watch Brainpop on Causes of the Great Depression and answer questions:***

[***https://www.brainpop.com/socialstudies/ushistory/greatdepressioncauses/***](https://www.brainpop.com/socialstudies/ushistory/greatdepressioncauses/)





**What were the causes of the Great Depression? (Use PPT to fill in)**

**Installment Buying and buying \_\_*\_\_*\_\_ on \_\_\_\_*\_\_\_\_*\_\_\_**

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**Banks \_*\_\_\_*\_ money without any to back it up, so when people went to get their \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ out of the bank it was \_\_*\_\_*\_**

**The overproduction of goods and \_\_\_*\_\_*\_. Factories and \_\_\_*\_\_\_*\_\_ were producing too much causing prices to go down**

**Cycle of \_\_\_\_*\_\_*\_\_\_\_- businesses can’t get loans from \_\_*\_\_*\_\_\_, so businesses cut wages, hours, and laid off workers don’t have money to buy goods, so businesses went \_\_\_\_\_*\_\_\_\_*\_\_\_**

**United States made large \_\_*\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_*\_, but we had to stop giving loans, which caused Europe’s banks to \_\_*\_\_*\_. The same cycle occurred overseas causing a \_\_\_\_\_\_*\_\_\_\_\_\_\_*\_\_\_\_\_**

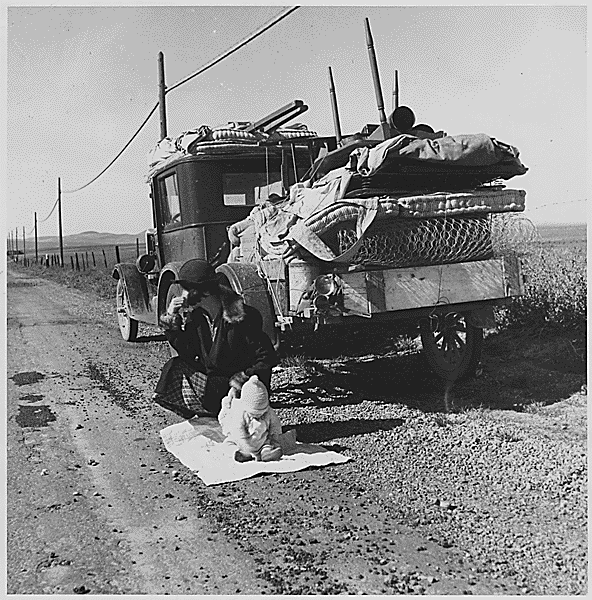
**The Dust Bowl**

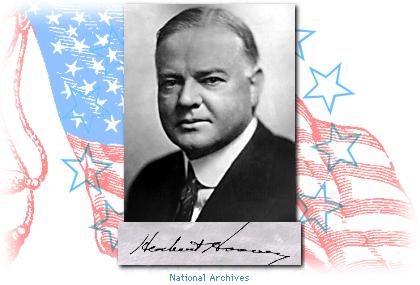
How were the black blizzards of the Dust Bowl formed? Read the paragraph on PPT and fill in:

18. Severe drought hit the \_\_\_\_*\_\_\_*\_\_ from 1931-1939. The black blizzards formed from the \_\_\_*\_\_\_\_* and 50 mph winds. They destroyed over \_\_\_\_\_\_\_*\_\_\_\_*\_\_\_\_ acres of land. It ended when \_\_\_*\_\_*\_ finally fell consistently and temperatures remained steady. During the Dust Bowl, temperatures changed \_\_\_\_ degrees in a matter of hours. In addition there were record highs of 120 degrees and no rain for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. The Dust Bowl forced hundreds of \_\_\_*\_\_\_*\_\_\_ and their families to move \_\_*\_\_\_*\_ to \_\_\_\_\_*\_\_\_\_*\_\_\_\_\_\_ to start a new life

**Who were Okies?**

19. A family from Oklahoma packed up all their belongings and headed for \_\_\_\_*\_\_*\_\_\_\_\_ where they hoped to find better soil and start a new life. These \_\_\_*\_\_*\_\_\_\_ families were nicknamed \_\_\_\_\_*\_\_\_*\_\_\_\_



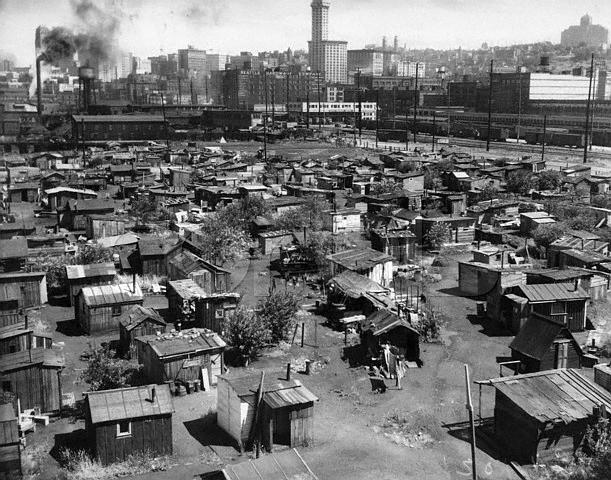
**President Herbert Hoover**

**31st President**

**1928-1932**

20. What did President Hoover believe about the economy?

* Herbert Hoover believed in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ government. Laissez-Faire means \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. He started some programs to help the United States get out of the *\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_* but they did not apply to the masses of people who were \_\_\_\_*\_\_\_\_\_*\_\_\_\_\_
* Most people did not believe Hoover was doing enough, so the shacks that the \_\_\_*\_\_\_\_*\_ people lived in were called \_\_\_*\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_* and the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_*\_\_\_\_\_*\_\_\_\_\_\_ that people covered up with were called Hoover blankets

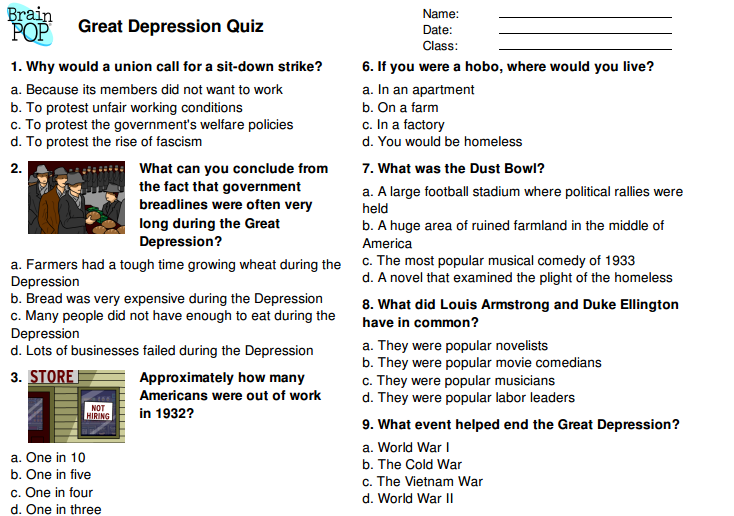


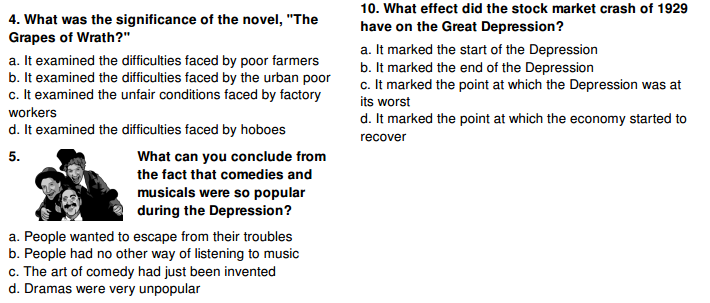
21. Read the article at <http://www.livinghistoryfarm.org/farminginthe30s/water_02.html>

and answer the questions:

* Who was eventually effected by the Dust Bowl? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Describe the impact of the dust storm on Black Sunday: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* What did the Great Plains need to end the Dust Bowl? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

***22. Watch Brainpop: The Great Depression***





23. What was the bonus army? How did President Hoover respond?

* World War I \_\_\_*\_\_\_\_*\_\_\_ nicknamed the “\_\_\_*\_\_\_\_*\_\_\_” asking for President Hoover to give them their army bonuses early. Veterans of this war were promised a bonus not to be given until 1945. Because of the Great Depression, over 60,000 veterans marched on \_\_\_\_\_*\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_*\_ asking for it to be given early. President Hoover \_\_\_*\_\_\_\_*\_\_ their request, but paid for their railway tickets back home instead.

[](http://blog.law.cornell.edu/library/files/2010/07/fdr.jpg)

**Franklin Delano Roosevelt**

**32nd President**

**1932-1945**

24. Why did FDR win a landslide victory?

People were fed up with the lack of results from \_\_*\_\_\_\_*\_\_\_ programs

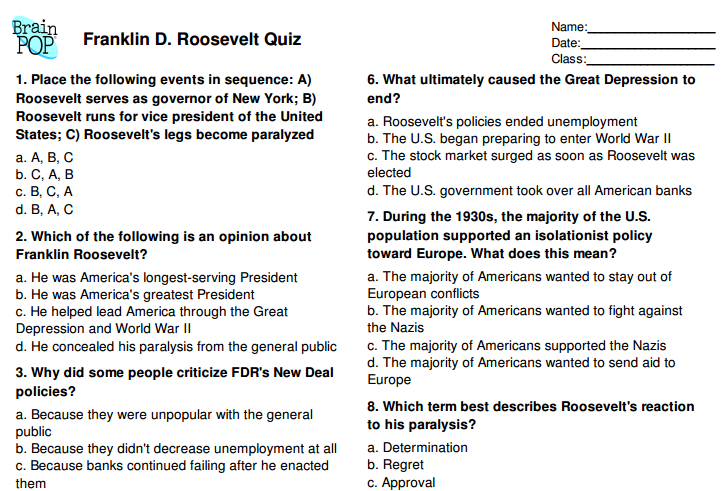
and Franklin Delano Roosevelt (FDR) won a landslide victory in \_\_*\_\_\_*\_\_.

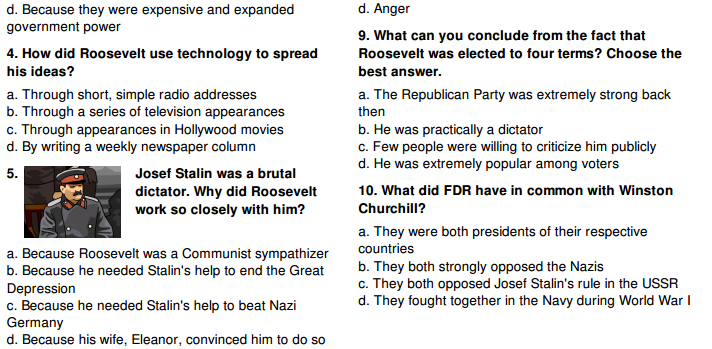
People were happy to see Roosevelt’s new programs started in his first

\_\_\_*\_\_\_\_*\_ in office. However not everyone was happy. Many *\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_*

criticized FDR’s approach to taking over *\_\_\_\_\_\_\_*\_\_\_\_. This seemed too close to communism for some people. *\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_* didn’t pass several of FDR’s programs, but hundreds of others were still passed.

25. ***Watch Brainpop on FDR and answer questions:***







26. What were fireside chats?

Fireside Chats – President Roosevelt spoke to the American public over the \_\_\_\_*\_\_\_*\_\_\_\_. “Tonight, (May 7, \_\_\_*\_\_\_*\_\_) I come to you for the second time to give you my report -- to tell you about what we are doing and what we *\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_* to do.”

27. Here are some examples of what FDR told people to make them feel better about their situation:

* Congress is about to pass legislation that will help \_\_\_*\_\_\_*\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_*\_\_\_*\_\_\_ pay their mortgage *(money they owe on their homes)*
* A grant of half a \_\_*\_\_\_*\_\_\_\_\_ dollars is to be given to care for those who need direct and immediate relief.
* Congress authorized the sale of \_\_\_*beer*\_\_ in such states as desired. This has already resulted in \_\_\_\_\_*job growth*\_\_\_\_\_ and has provided much needed \_\_\_*tax\_*\_ revenue.

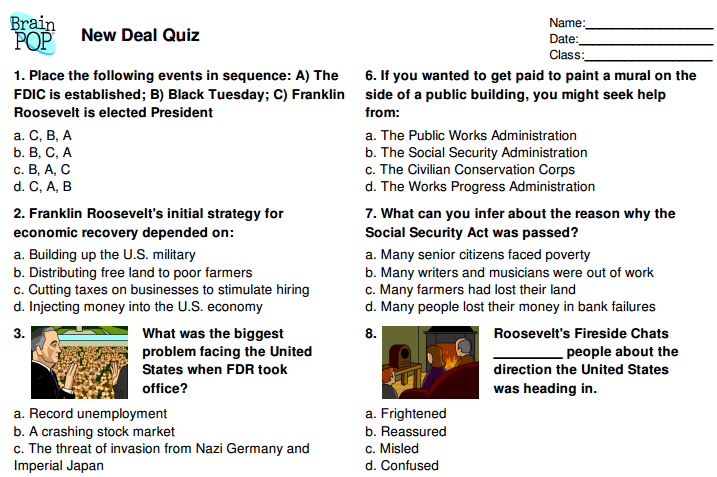
28. What was the New Deal? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

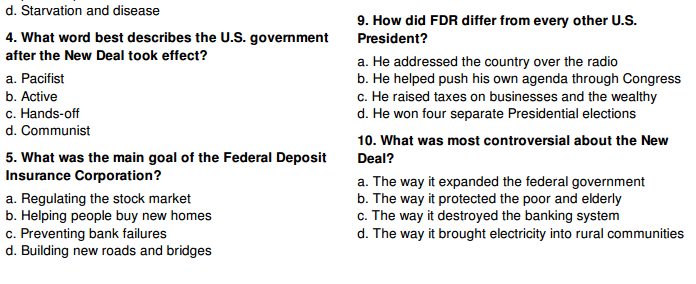
**Some of the New Deal Programs**

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| **Name of New Deal program** | Describe the program |
| SSA – Social Security Act ***\*Still exists today\**** | **Provided \_\_\_\_*\_\_\_*\_\_\_ benefits, \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and aid to the elderly and to the disabled** |
| TVA – Tennessee Valley Authority | **Federal government built a series of \_*\_\_\_\_*\_\_ to prevent flooding, brought \_*\_\_\_*\_ supply and \_\_\_*\_\_\_\_*\_\_\_\_ to rural areas- provided jobs for people who helped with construction** |
| CCC – Civilian Conservation  Corporation | **Sent 250,000 young men to work camps to perform reforestation and \_\_\_*\_\_\_\_*\_\_\_ tasks. Removed surplus of workers from \_\_*\_\_\_*\_\_, provided healthy conditions for boys, and provided \_\_\_*\_\_\_*\_\_\_\_\_ for families** |
| AAA – Agricultural Adjustment Agency | **Protected farmers from price \_*\_\_*\_\_ by reducing production, and starting \_\_\_\_*educational*\_\_ programs to teach methods of preventing \_\_\_*soil*\_\_\_ erosion** |
| FDIC – Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation  ***\*Still exists today\**** | **Created federally insured bank \_\_\_*\_\_\_\_*\_ ($\_\_*\_\_*\_\_ per investor at first) to prevent bank \_\_\_\_*\_\_*\_\_\_. Now protects up to $\_\_\_*\_\_\_\_*\_\_\_ per investor.** |
| PWA – Public Works Administration  Define Public Works: Projects built by the government for public use like parks, schools, highways, roads, government buildings, | **States received $3.3 billion appropriation from \_\_*\_\_\_\_\_*\_\_ for public works projects.**  **Provided \_\_\_*\_\_\_\_*\_\_ to needy areas through public projects** |

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| SEC – Securities and Exchange Commission  ***\*Still exists today\**** | **Regulated the \_\_*\_\_\_\_*\_ market and restricted \_\_\_\_*\_\_\_*\_ buying** |
| FERA – Federal Emergency Relief Act | **Distributed millions of dollars of direct aid to unemployed workers, including food, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, shelter, and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ training.**  **For example, teaching women to sew and providing sewing machines to make clothes for their families. Also, creating a community garden projects where people work planting food and take home what they have produced** |

**Watch Brainpop: New Deal and answer questions:**





29. FDR’s New Deal programs helped \_\_\_*\_\_\_*\_\_some problems by giving people jobs, food, and shelter. It \_\_\_*\_\_\_*\_\_\_\_ some problems, such as the banking system (FDIC) and pay for the elderly and handicapped (SSA). However it did not completely \_\_\_\_*\_\_*\_\_\_\_ America’s economy from the Great Depression before the start of World War II. Recovery from a depression takes a long time and the start of \_\_\_\_*\_\_*\_\_ will make this happen faster than the New Deal could have.

**30. What programs still exist today?**

The \_\_\_\_\_*\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_\_*\_ were so important that they still exist today.

**31. Explain some of the criticisms of the New Deal:**

* Gave the \_\_\_*\_\_\_*\_\_ government too much power
* Cost too much \_\_\_\_\_*\_\_*\_\_\_\_\_\_

32. Was there good reason for these criticisms? Why or why not?

**33. What pulled the United States out of the Great Depression so quickly?**

Producing goods (such as weapons, \_\_*\_\_*\_\_\_, *tanks,* \_\_\_*\_\_*\_\_\_, and other supplies for the \_\_\_\_\_*\_\_*\_\_\_\_\_\_\_) for WWII is what pulled the US out of the Great Depression. We had to mobilize all of our factories to help in the war effort producing new jobs all over the country.

## Heroes and Entertainment

## of the 1930’s

**34. Popular movies of the 1930’s:**Gone with the \_\_\_*\_\_*\_\_- about the Civil War

Snow White and the 7 \_\_\_*\_\_*\_\_- Disney classic

Wizard of Oz- this is the story about Dorothy and her magical trip to OZ

\_\_\_\_*\_\_\_*\_\_- story of a giant ape that is captured from mysterious skull island then brought back to the mainland

**35. Radio Programs:**

War of the \_\_\_*\_\_*\_\_\_, created by Orson Wells

FDR’s \_\_\_*\_\_*\_\_ chats- done weekly from the White House to help inform the public of what the government was doing to fix the Great Depression

**36. Legends and heroes of the 1930’s:**

Jesse \_\_*\_\_*\_- Olympic star of the 1936 games, won FOUR gold medals in track and field events in Berlin, Germany

Joe \_\_\_*\_\_*\_\_- Baseball star on the New York Yankees, record

Amelia \_\_\_*\_\_\_*\_- famous female pilot, went missing on her solo flight around the world in 1937

**37. New Board Games: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**38. SUM UP THE GREAT DEPRESSION**

CAUSES OF THE GREAT DEPRESSION:

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EFFECTS ON THE AMERICAN PEOPLE:

*List at least 4*

FDR CREATES THE \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

WHICH DOES WHAT?

PROGRAMS MEANT TO HELP PEOPLE: *(LIST ALL IN NOTES)*

THE U.S. FINALLY GETS OUT OF THE GREAT DEPRESSION, BUT COMPLETELY BECAUSE OF FDR’S

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