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Chapter 23 Video Guide for Connecting With The Past	

Big Idea Questions	Guided Notes	Areas of Concern
	The Coming of the Great Depression	
	• Market:	
	 Increase in stock prices: 1928 – September 1929: stocks 	
	increased by 40%	
	• October 29, 1929 ():	
	Stock market crash	
	Causes of the Depression:	
	Prosperity based on a	
	• of wealth	
	Almost of families living at or below	
	minimum subsistence level	
	• Credit:	
	• Famers deeply in	
	Production outweighed	
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	Not to be confused with Dawes Severalty Act	
What did the	Rescheduled German loans	
Dawes Act do?	US loaned \$ to Germany -> pays Britain and	
(Don't know it?	France -> pays loans back to US Treasury	
Look it up please)	Simply a circle of \$ - ends with stock market crash of 1929	
	Bank Crisis:	
	 banks closed between 1930 and 1933 	
	 Money supply decreased by 	
	The American People in Hard Times	
	Industrial North was hard hit	
	Ohio unemployment was%	
	Many Americans associated unemployment with	
	Charities and other relief organizations couldn't keep pace	
	•:	
	 Area of land from eastern Colorado to western Missouri, 	
	Texas – North Dakota	
Did you know what	• Causes:	
an "Okie" was?	•	
	• The Grapes of Wrath: story about	
	 "" – dust storms " – families that moved from the Dust 	
	Bowl to other areas, especially California	
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	African Americans:	
	Especially hard hit –% in South were unemployed	
	Segregation and discrimination was still rampant	
	Scottsboro Case:	
	African Americans were accused of rape	

	 All-white jury found them guilty, 8 sentenced to
	Eventually, all were released from jail, though
	many years later
	Other Minorities:
	Mexican Americans:
	2 million people of Mexican descent, mostly
	Some Mexicans forced out of the country
	• Asians:
	Fought to have laws protecting Japanese from
	• Women:
	Pressure for women to not work, especially if husband
	does • Many minorities did not benefit from programs
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	The Depression and American Culture
	Art in the Depression:
	Dorothea Lange:
Have you seen a	•
photo of Dorothea	John Steinbeck:
Lange before?	• Grapes of Wrath - story about
	• Radio:
	Source of entertainment " 500
	• "" – FDR
	• Spanish Civil War (1936 – 1939):
	Some Americans supported the
	government
	• government of Francisco
	Franco had support of Hitler and Mussolini
	The Unhappy Presidency of Herbert Hoover
NA/bat and two athor	Hoover:
What are two other high protective	• Urged:
tariffs in US	Similar to WWI
history? (Don't	Feared spending
know? Please look	Hawley-Smoot Tariff:
it up!)	• – led to high
,	European tariffs in return
	• "
	Name for shanty towns that developed .
	 Meant to provide loans to banks, RRs, and businesses
	Largely a failure – never provided enough
	WWI Veterans were hit hard during Depression
	• "" (BEF)
	Descends upon D.C. in hopes of receiving their

	bonuses
How would FDR	• Set up ""
feel about the	 Hoover ordered army (led by) to
Hawley-Smoot	break up "Bonus Army"
Tariff? How do you	 Bonus Army eventually leaves, taints Hoover even more
know this?	Election of 1932:
	•
	• FDR won in a landslide, pledged a ""
	for Americans
	 FDR was inaugurated on March 4, 1933, in the midst of a