THE GREAT DEPRESSION

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- Herbert Hoover declares that the U.S. A. is close to sending poverty into oblivion. There will be "a chicken in every pot." When the economy failed, the people made Hoover their scapegoat.
- The stock market crash - which began on Black Tuesday – was one reason for the economy failing

- BANK FAILURES – *It's A Wonderful Life*
- SOUP KITCHENS
- THE DUST BOWL – *The Grapes of Wrath*
- HOBOS
- SHANTYTOWNS (HOOVERVILLES)
- NEWSPAPERS (HOOVER BLANKETS)
- BONUSES FOR VETERANS
- BOULDER (HOOVER) DAM

- The “New Deal” by President FDR created work programs that created jobs
    - Campaign song: HAPPY DAYS ARE HERE AGAIN
    - FDIC
    - SEC
    - FIRESIDE CHATS
    - CCC
    - TREE PLANTINGS
    - TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY
    - SECOND AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ACT
    - WPA
    - NLRB
    - SOCIAL SECURITY