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US HISTORY #34-THE NEW DEAL

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conservation	commerce	presidency	democratic	unions

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- 2. FDR's order to close the banks temporarily created the _____ which ensures individual deposits against future banking disasters.
- 3. Congress passed laws establishing the Civilian _____ Corps, which paid young people to build national parks
- 4. The _____ basically gave the government the power to try to raise farm prices by setting production quotas and paying farmers to plant less food.
- 5. Starting a new era of Supreme Court jurisprudence in which the government regulation of the economy was allowed under a broad reading of the _____ Clause.
- 6. _____ played an important role in shaping the ideology of the second New Deal because they insisted that the economic downturn had been caused by under consumption.
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- 8. FDR also gained the support of middle class home owners and he brought African Americans into the _____ Party.
- 9. According to a lot of economists, what brought the depression to an end was a massive government spending program called _____
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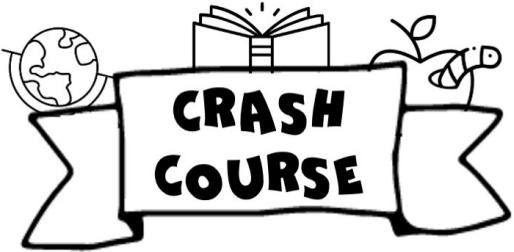
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Directions: Write one thing you think you know about the topic.

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Answer Key

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