Chapter 31 - The Politics of Boom and Bust (1920-1932)

Essential Question

How did the United States seek a return to normalcy in the years after World War I?

Essential Vocabulary

Kellogg-Briand Pact Dawes Plan Hawley-Smoot Tariff Black Tuesday Hoovervilles Bonus Army

Questions from Reading

- 1. How did the Republican party try to help out corporations?
- 2. How did the role of the government in regulating the economy change after WWI?
- 3. What was the U.S. diplomatic strategy and the Washington Conference in 1921-1922 and with the Kellogg-Briand Pact?
- 4. What was the impact of higher tariffs after WWI?
- 5. What were the frustrations of farmers?
- 6. How did the Dawes Plan seek to address the issue of post-war debts?
- 7. What was the impact of the Hawley-Smoot Tariff?
- 8. How did the stock market crash trigger the Great Depression?
- 9. What were other causes of the Depression?
- 10. What was Hoover's approach to the Depression?
- 11. How did Hoover's response to the Bonus Army impact his presidency?
- 12. What was Hoover's Good Neighbor Policy?