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THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL POLICY OF FRANKLIN DELANO ROOSEVELT UP TO THE SECOND WORLD WAR (1933–1941)

Summary

The period between 1929 and 1939 in the United States of America is today known as “The Great Depression”. The Great Depression designates the greatest economic crisis which encompassed not only the USA but the whole world. There are numerous causes of the crisis, from the stock market speculation to the unpreparedness of the market for hyperproduction, the new technologies, the new consumer society and the new industry. This paper will be dealing with the two presidential terms of Franklin Delano Roosevelt along with a series of reforms today known as The New Deal. What is more, the nature of the New Deal and its impact on the economic and social situation will be presented. What follows is the evaluation of Roosevelt’s reforms and a period of him being a president of the USA from 1933 to 1941.

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