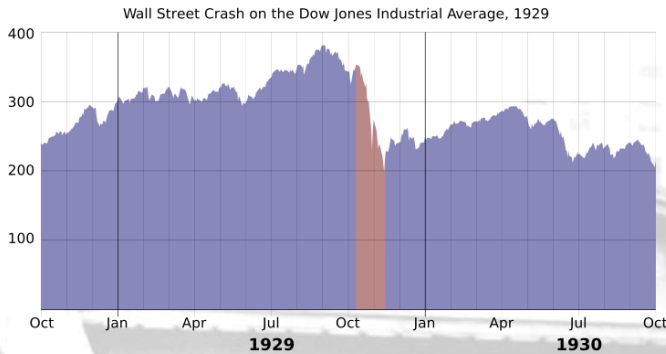


Stock Market Crashes

1 WHAT MAJOR EVENT HAPPENED ON THIS DATE?



During October 1929 there was a major stock market crash, causing the 10-year Great Depression. A stock market is when the goods or merchandise kept on the premises of business or warehouse and available for sale or distribution and is exchanged. On March 29, 1929 there was 3,875,910 shares were traded that

day. On October 29, 1929 there were 16,410,030 shares traded that day. Stock tickers ran hours behind because the machinery could not handle the tremendous volume of trading.

2 HOW DID THIS EVENT IMPACT OR AFFECT THE PEOPLE OF THE COUNTRY?



This caused, as we all know now, The Great Depression. Stock markets had nowhere but to go up, high prices continued to drop as the United States slumped in to the Great depression. These Stock Market crashes and the Great Depression formed the largest financial crisis of the 20th century. This caused over price, changing the computer systems, and so much more.

3 FROM MY RESEARCH, WHAT OTHER INTERESTING DETAILS DID I LEARN ABOUT THIS EVENT?

I learned a lot while researching this event. I learned what a stock market is, how it can affect the economy, and that the stock market crash in 1929 caused the Great depression. I learned that we needed to advance our technology because that was one of the reasons that the stock market crashed because of the machines couldn't handle of the volume of trades. Causing many issues with the government, many loss of jobs, and etc.

4 WHAT WERE MY SOURCES (URLS OR HYPERLINKS), HOW MANY DID I USE, AND WHY DO I BELIEVE THEY WERE RELIABLE?

I used 3 websites. I believed that these websites were reliable because there wasn't any grammar or spelling mistakes, the domain was either: ".com", ".edu", ".org", or ".gov". Which are considered safe and reliable. The websites had lots of information I needed. The sitesRojas_J_RPI_WERP was organized and set up efficiently. Also one of the websites were an organization specifically meant for major history events. It had lots of links to other websites available to me for more information on the subject I was researching.

<http://www.history.com/this-day-in-history/stock-market-crashes>

<http://www3.nd.edu/~jstiver/FIN462/US%20Market%20Crashes.pdf>

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wall_Street_Crash_of_1929

http://www.americaslibrary.gov/jb/wwii/jb_wwii_stockmrkt_1.html