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Riding the Economic Roller Coaster: Key Industries Affected by the Great Depression

Short Answer

1. Explain the impact of the stock market crash of 1929 on the financial sector and the broader economy during the Great Depression.
2. How did the Dust Bowl contribute to the challenges faced by the agricultural industry during the Great Depression?
3. Describe the effects of reduced consumer spending on the manufacturing industry during the Great Depression.
4. What role did public works projects play in stimulating the economy during the Great Depression under the New Deal programs?
5. How did the entertainment and arts industries both suffer and serve as a source of relief during the Great Depression?

