

**★ Guided Reading Activity 18-3**

**DIRECTIONS: Recalling Facts** Read the section and answer the questions below. Refer to your textbook to write the answers.

1. When did President Hoover assure the nation that “the fundamental business of the country...is on a sound and prosperous basis.”? \_\_\_\_\_  
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2. What did President Hoover do to devise strategies for improving the economy? \_\_\_\_\_  
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3. What did President Hoover increase the funding for, to replace jobs lost in the private sector? \_\_\_\_\_  
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4. What was President Hoover's fear about deficit spending? \_\_\_\_\_  
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5. What was the purpose of the National Credit Corporation (NCC)? \_\_\_\_\_  
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6. Why did the Reconstruction Finance Corporation (RFC) fail? \_\_\_\_\_  
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7. Why did President Hoover oppose the federal government's participation in relief programs? \_\_\_\_\_  
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8. What was the purpose of the Emergency Relief and Construction Act? \_\_\_\_\_  
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9. What caused nearly one million farmers to lose their farms between 1930 and 1934? \_\_\_\_\_  
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10. What did some farmers do to try to raise crop prices? \_\_\_\_\_  
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11. How did the effort of the Bonus Army end in July of 1932? \_\_\_\_\_  
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12. What did President Hoover expand more than any previous president? \_\_\_\_\_  
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