

Lows:

- dependence on the USA
 - our major trading partner was flooding Canada with news, culture, and economics
 - will hurt us later...
- Aboriginal peoples
 - still not “persons” under the law
 - not until 1960 could Aboriginal peoples vote federally across Canada
 - age of residential schools and cultural assimilation
- immigrants and other racial groups
 - KKK started up in Sask. (bad bad bad)
 - classic cases of racism (p. 70)
 - immigrants were still restricted
 - Asians faced the worse, as always
- STOCK MARKET CRASH:
 - as the economy appeared to be booming, it really wasn't when one looked deeper
 - money was on “margin” (borrowed, like a loan)
 - lots of money *appeared* to be changing hands, but in reality, there was no money at all
 - like today?
- market crashed in 1929... the worst economic tragedy to ever hit North America – the 20s were over with a bang