

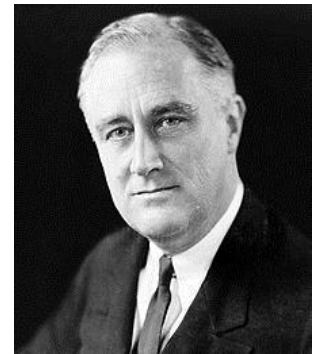
Before the Election

- Black Thursday, Oct 24th 1929, the beginning of the stock market crash
- Farmers hit hard by Dust Bowl
- President Hoover takes a laissez-faire policy towards recovery, government should not be giving handout to individuals
- Hoover vetoed the Garner-Wagner Relief bill that would have provided 2.1 billion dollars for new jobs.
- Hoovervilles created
- Bonus Army protest, troops used against them

Candidates

Franklin Roosevelt

- John Nance Garner as vice president
- Was New York Senator 1910
- 1913 became Assistant Secretary of U.S Navy
- 1921 got polio at 39
- 1928 Governor of New York
- Proposed increased liberal policies
- Majority but not 2/3rd for nomination, cut deal with Garner



Herbert Hoover

- Charles Curtis as vice president
- Quaker
- Became mining engineer and a millionaire
- Appointed head of Food Administration by Woodrow Wilson
- Promised peace and prosperity during 28 election
- Conservative policies of not giving “handouts”
- Seen as uncaring



Norman Thomas (Socialist)

- James Maurer as vice president
- Presbyterian minister
- Ran for office 6 times as socialist
 - Mayor, Govenrer, Senate, President



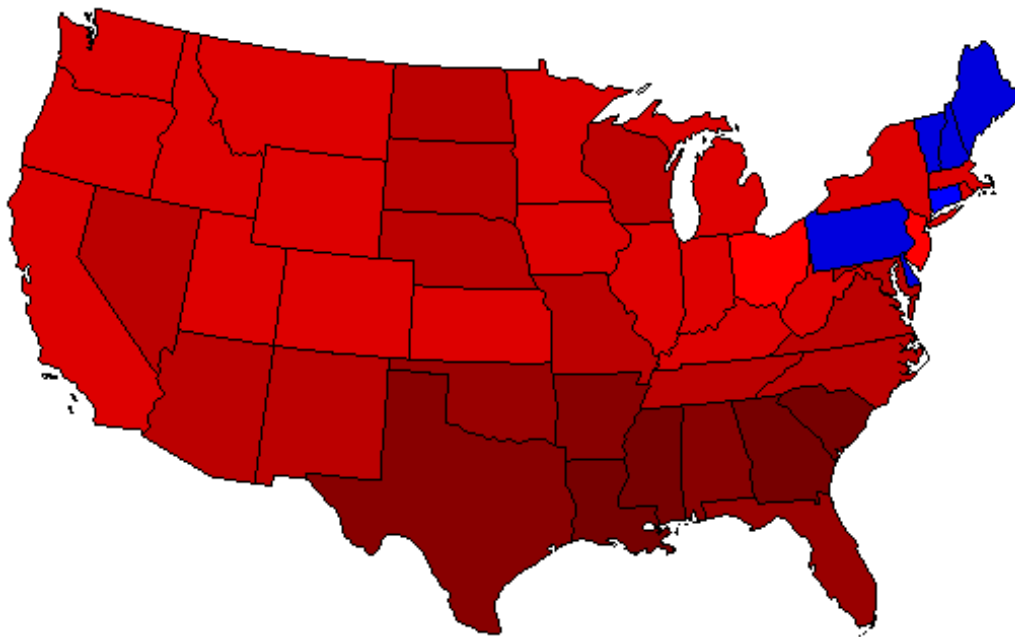
William Foster (Communist)

- Joined Socialist party in 1901
- 1930 for Governor of New York
- Party fighting lead to his change to Communists



Election

	Presidential Candidate	Vice Presidential Candidate	Political Party	Popular Vote		Electoral Vote	
■	Franklin Roosevelt	John Garner	Democratic	22,821,277	57.41%	472	88.9%
■	Herbert Hoover	Charles Curtis	Republican	15,761,254	39.65%	59	11.1%
■	Norman Thomas	James Maurer	Socialist	884,885	2.23%	0	0.0%
■	William Foster	James Ford	Communist	103,307	0.26%	0	0.0%
■	Other (+)	-	-	181,175	0.46%	0	0.0%



Impacts

- Roosevelt emphasized importance of keeping public informed with fireside chats
- Midterm elections in 1934 helped stimulate New Deal legislation
- Legislation was popular which contributed to the 4 presidential terms that Roosevelt would serve
- 1937 another impact of recession gave republican argument that New Deal stunted business growth.
- After Roosevelt dies, 20th Amendment is passed.