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causes, course, and consequences of
the WORLDWIDE
DEPRESSION
of the *Nineteen-Thirties*,
as seen by contemporaries
and in the
light of HISTORY

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