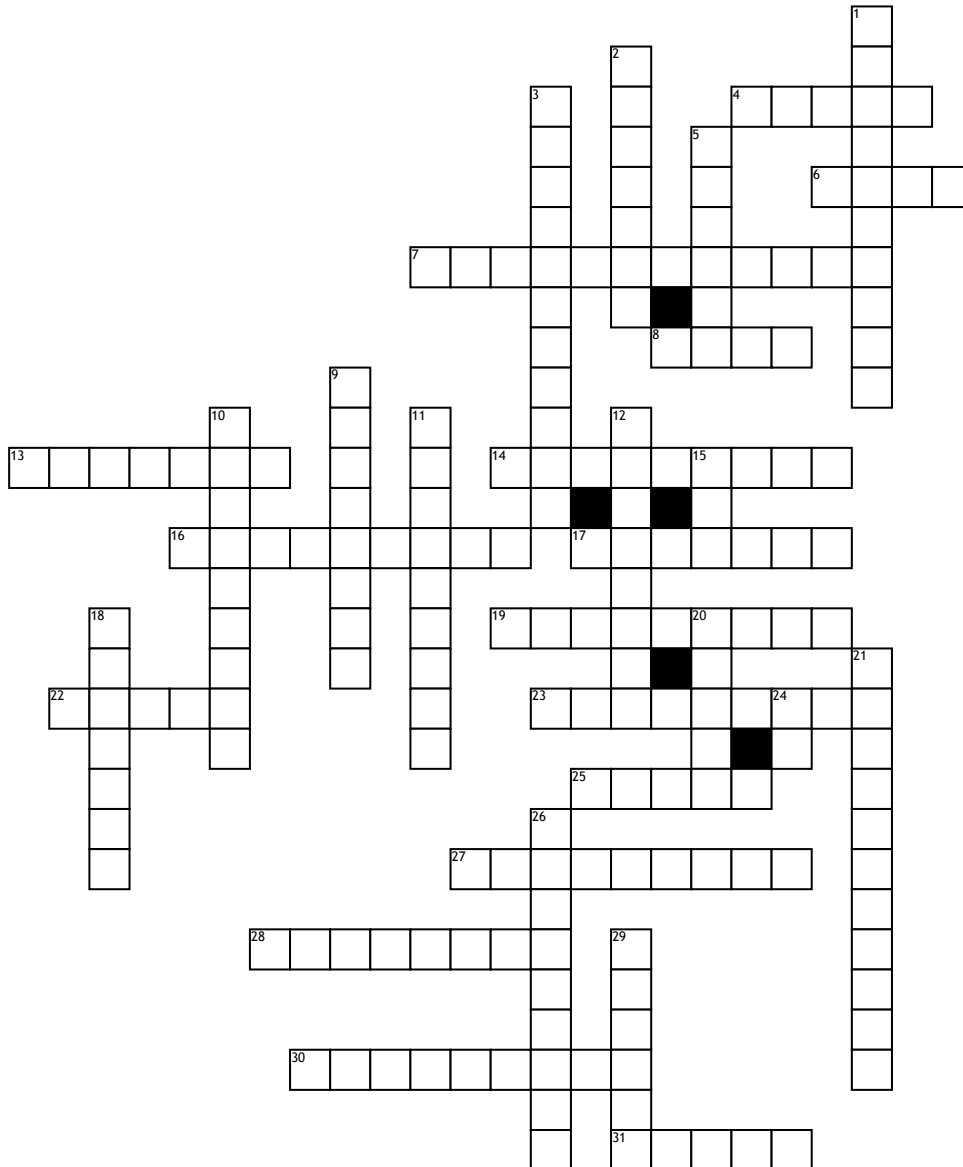


# Ashes - Key Vocabulary



## Across

4. Thrumming, make a continuous rhythmic humming  
 6. Chambered, (especially of a gun) having a chamber of a particular  
 7. Wits, mental sharpness, and inventiveness; keen  
 8. Gritty, containing or covered with  
 13. Vexation, the state of being annoyed, frustrated, or  
 14. Upheavals, a violent or sudden change or disruption to  
 16. Kin, one's family, and  
 17. Vex, make someone feel annoyed, frustrated, or worried, especially with trivial  
 19. Feigned, simulated or pretended;  
 22. Smoldering, the process of burning slowly with smoke but no  
 23. Tattered, old and torn and in poor

25. Drapery, cloth, curtains, or clothing hanging in loose  
 27. Notion, a conception of or belief about  
 28. Muskets, an infantryman's light gun with a long barrel, typically smooth-bored, muzzleloading, and fired from the  
 30. Forged - Steel, alloy of carbon and iron that is compressed under extreme pressure to make a very hard and strong  
 31. Commonsensical, common

## Down

1. Unnerved, make (someone) lose courage or  
 2. Conspicuous, standing out so as to be clearly  
 3. Consarned, a mild  
 5. Peril, serious and immediate  
 9. Bayonets, a blade that may be fixed to the muzzle of a rifle and used to stab an opponent in hand-to-hand

10. Keen, highly  
 11. Ferocity, the state or quality of being  
 12. The state of being annoyed, frustrated, or worried.  
 15. Sweltering, uncomfortably  
 18. Militiaman, a member of a  
 20. Bairn, a  
 21. Independent, the fact or state of being  
 24. Forge, make or shape (a metal object) by heating it in a fire or furnace and beating or hammering  
 26. Militia, a military force that is raised from the civil population to supplement a regular army in an  
 29. Haversacks, a small, sturdy bag carried on the back or over the shoulder, used especially by soldiers and