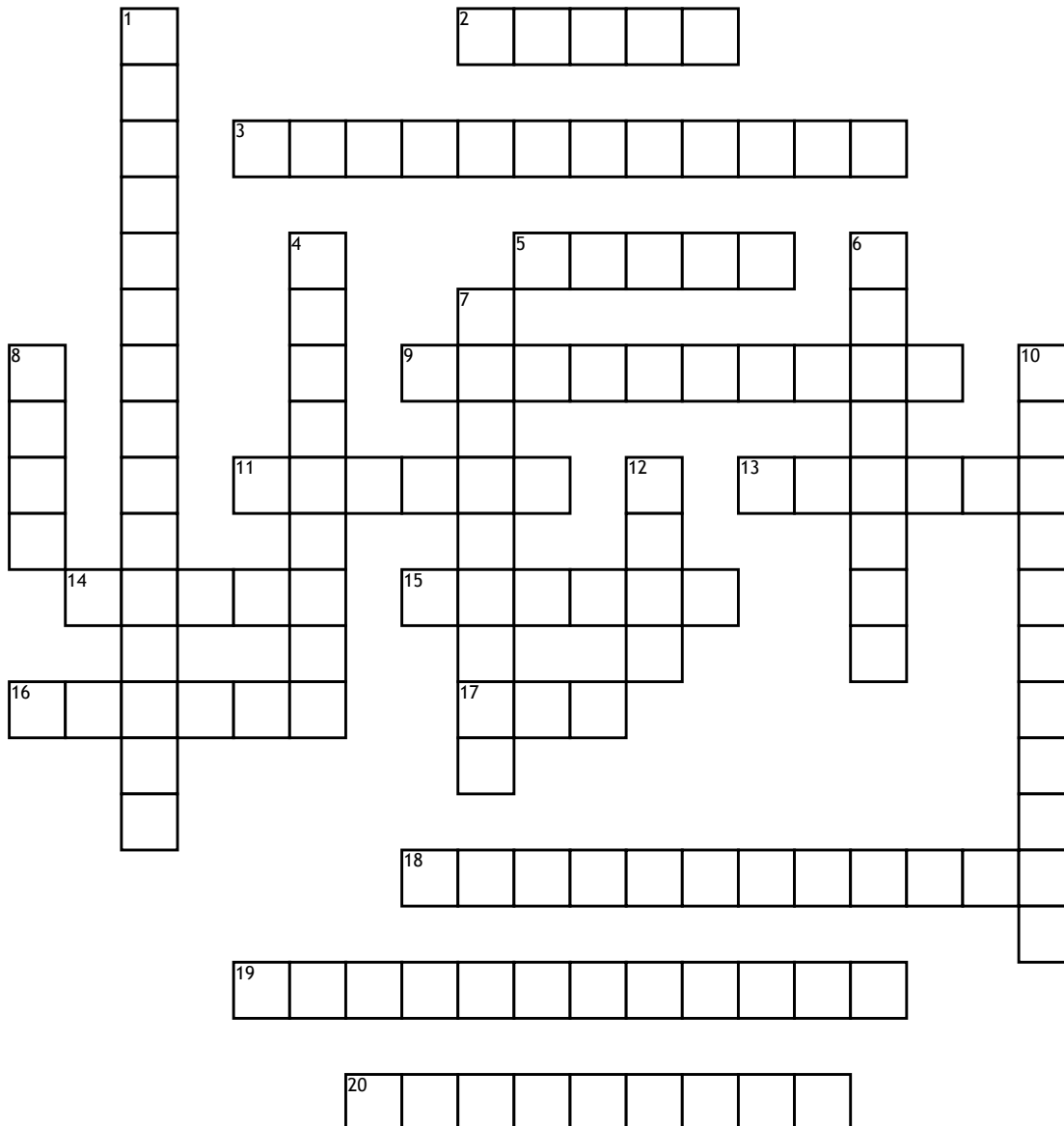


Flowers and Trees



Across

2. What tree features in the middle of the flag of Lebanon?
 3. What name was given to the *Araucaria araucana* species by the Victorians because of its spiny spiraling branches?
 5. Which flower's name comes from the Ancient Greek word for star?
 9. The bark of which tree is also known as "nature's aspirin"?
 11. What name is given to the pollen-producing reproductive organ of a flower composed of an anther and filament?
 13. Can you name the only country named after a tree?
 14. *Acer* is a genus of trees commonly known by what name?

15. Saffron comes from which type of flower?

16. Which flower was once more costly than gold and has bulbs which can replace onions in some recipes?
 17. The wood of which tree was the most popular choice for water pipes until the 1700s, as unlike other woods it does not decay when kept permanently wet?
 18. Who designed the Blue Peter Garden in 1974?
 19. Which small flower, usually with 5 blue or purple petals, is associated with freemasonry and has the scientific name *Myosotis*?
 20. What is the common name for any of the plants that fall into the genus *Narcissus*?

Down

1. Which poisonous, sweetly scented woodland flowering plant with bell-shaped florets dangling from a thin stem has the scientific name *Convallaria majalis*?
 4. What are linden trees commonly called in the UK?
 6. Old Man's Beard and Traveller's Joy are names for a variety of which flower?
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 8. Which trees are a traditional feature of churchyards?
 10. What common name was coined for the seeds of the maple, ash and sycamore trees for the way they spiral through the air during dispersal?
 12. True or false. Tulips were once so valuable in Holland that their bulbs were worth more than gold?