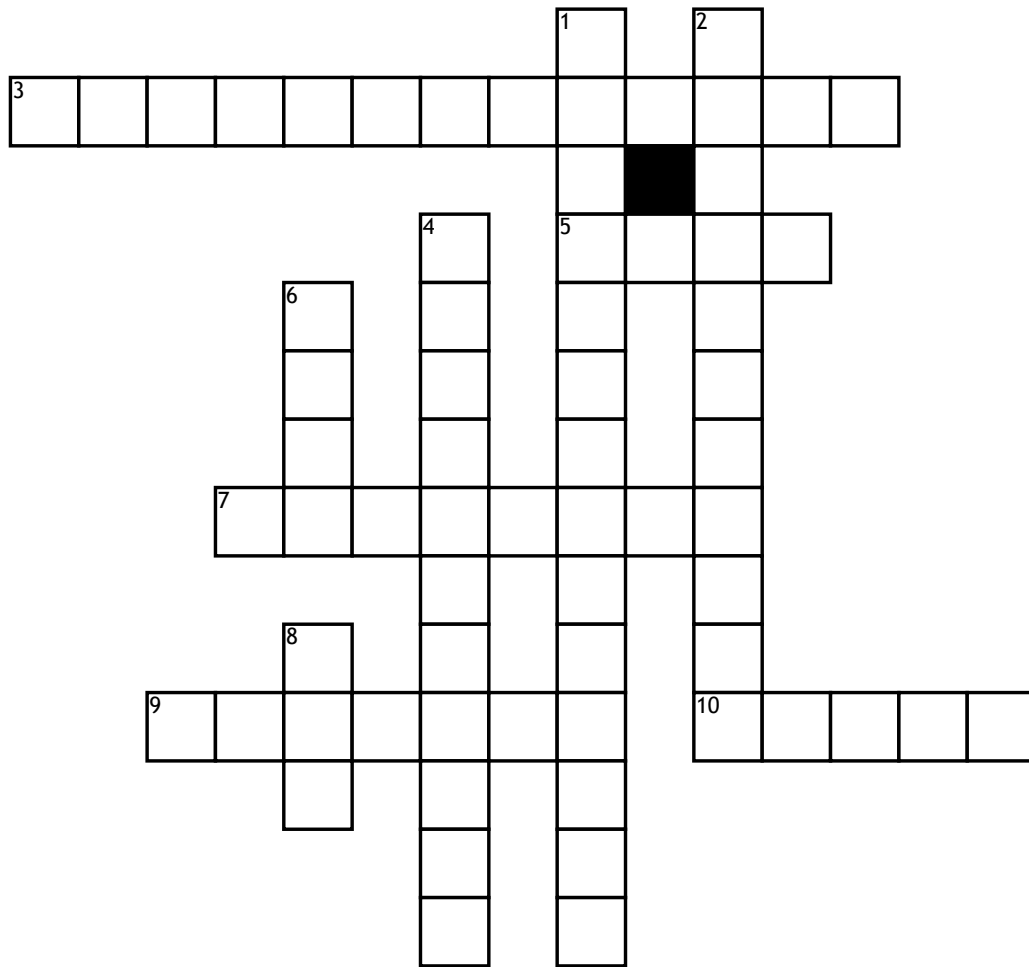


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Freedom Riders of the Civil Rights Movement



Across

3. Civil rights activists who rode interstate buses into the segregated southern United States in 1961 and subsequent years to challenge the non-enforcement of the United States Supreme Court decisions which ruled that segregated public buses were unconstitutional.

5. The Congress of Racial Equality is an African-American civil rights organization in the United States that played a pivotal role for African Americans in the Civil Rights Movement.

7. one who advocates a cause

9. a gesture or formal action by a person or especially a group as a public display of objection or dissent

10. The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People is a civil rights organization in the United States, formed in 1909 as a bi-racial endeavor to advance justice for African Americans

Down

1. the act of making invalid, unfair, or hurtful differentiation, as in prejudice against people of minority groups.

2. imposing social separation according to racial or ethnic groups.

4. the policy or practice of refusing to use violent means to pursue political or social aims.

6. The Southern Christian Leadership Conference is an African-American civil rights organization.

8. to crowd about (someone) in a disorderly way; a large, disorderly, or riotous crowd of people.

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segregation

nonviolence

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FREEDOM RIDERS

mob

protest

N.A.A.C.P.

activist

discrimination