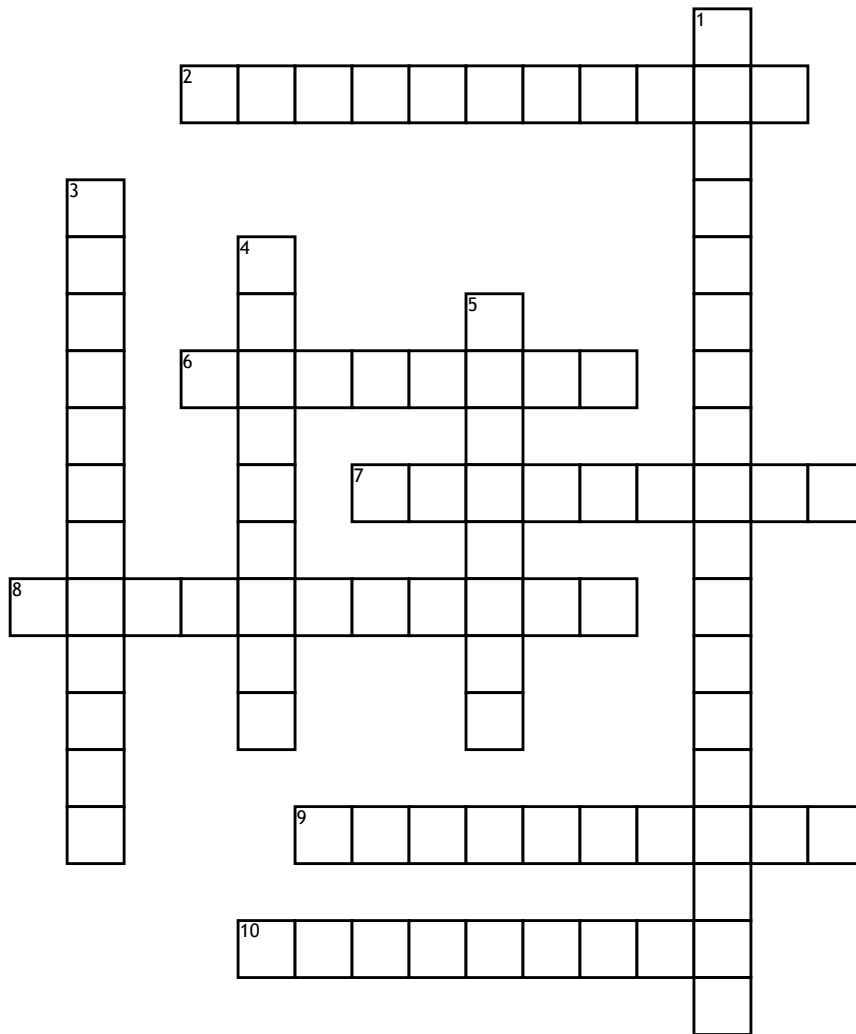


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History Crossword



Across

2. The area of the United States West of the Mississippi River and East of the Rocky Mountains, the land is flat, dry, grassy, void of trees and inhabited by Indian tribes.

6. Apache Indian chief who led raids against the settlers.

7. Houses on the Great Plains made of dirt/sod

8. Moving a herd of longhorn cattle from Texas to Kansas, also known as the long drive.

9. Metal fence used to create fences on the plains.

Word Bank

Homestead Act

Geronimo

Windmill

Ghost Town

Steel Plow

Barbed Wire

Cattle Drive

Sod Houses

Indian Reservations Great Plains

10. An abandoned boomtown.

Down

1. Land set aside by the government for Indians to live on.

3. An 1860 law that provided settlers with 160 acres of land for a small registration fee as long as the settlers lived on the land.

4. An adapted version of the wooden plow that allowed settlers to break up the hard ground of the plains.

5. A wind powered mechanism that pulled water from deep in the ground of the plains.