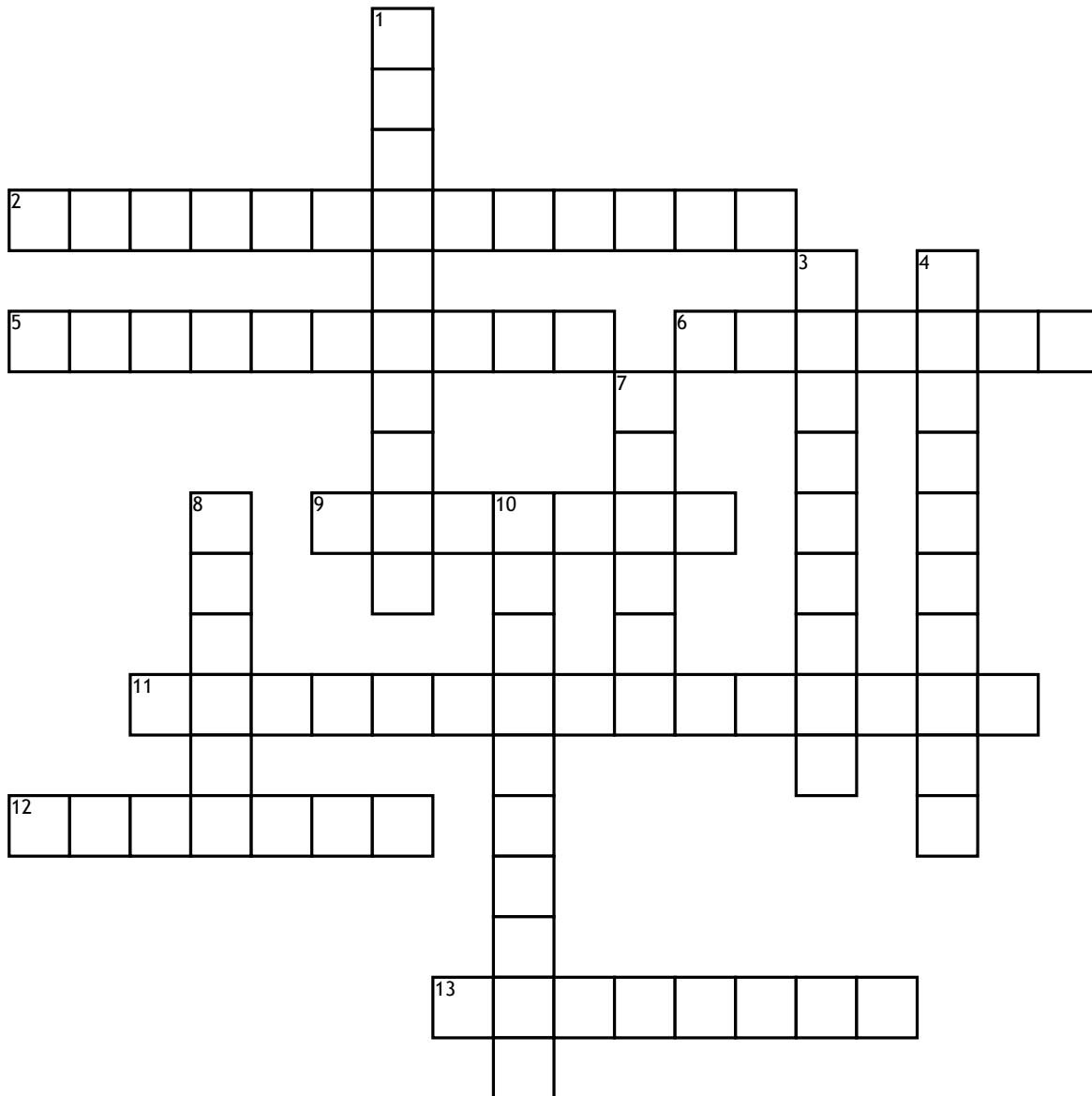


The Black Circle Crossword Puzzle



Across

2. The Peterhof Palace is a series of palaces and gardens laid out on the orders of _____.

5. The Mamayev Monument is more commonly known as "The _____ Calls"

6. The Trans-Siberian Railway is the _____ railway line in the world.

9. The Manupuner Rock Formations are a set of 7 gigantic abnormally shaped stone _____.

11. He commissioned by Saint Basil's Cathedral to commemorate a military victory.

12. Russia is the largest _____ on Earth

13. The mad monk who wouldn't die.

Down

1. The last Russian Emperor

3. A long and persistent rumor that she survived her family's execution has inspired the production of many movies and books.

4. A genetic disorder in which excessive bleeding occurs due to the absence or abnormality of clotting factors called platelets in the blood.

7. Mount Elbrus is the highest mountain in all of _____.

8. Russia has _____ time zones.

10. Nicknamed "Older Sister of Sister Lakes"