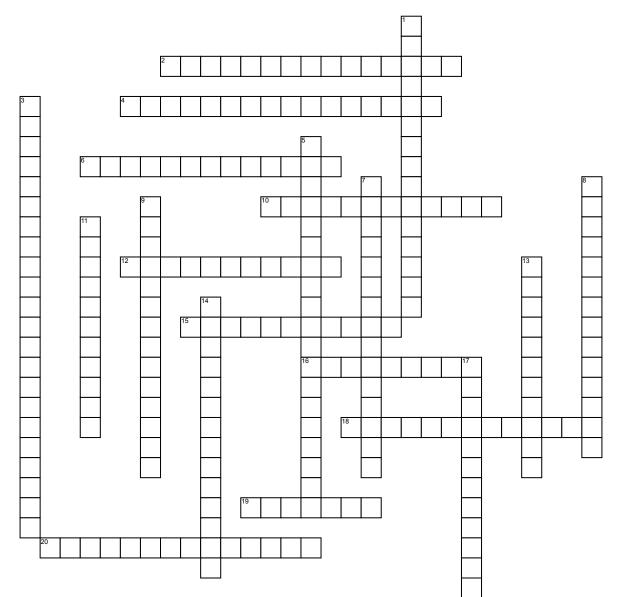
## **Black History Month**



## Across

 2. First African American elected to the U.S. Senate
4. First African American to serve on the U.S. Supreme Court
6. An African American who helped hundreds of slaves escape from hard labor

**10.** First African American woman to be a competitor on the world tennis tour

**12.** Highest ranking African American government official in history

**15.** First African American heavy weight champion of the world

**16.** The African American to boycott a bus law

**18.** First African American pilot

**19.** A person known as the "Father of Blues"

**20.** First African American General

## <u>Down</u>

 First African American woman elected to Congress
Suggested hundreds of peanut uses

**5.** A peacemaker who didn't use violence to started the civil rights movement

7. Fastest man ever to play a baseball game

8. The first African American to earn the Medal of Honor9. Speaker for both the Abolitionist Movement and the

Women's Rights Movement **11.** Invented an automatic

lubricator

**13.** Won four medals in the 1936 Olympics

**14.** First African American to play in the Major Leagues

**17.** Greatest pitcher in history of the Negro Leagues