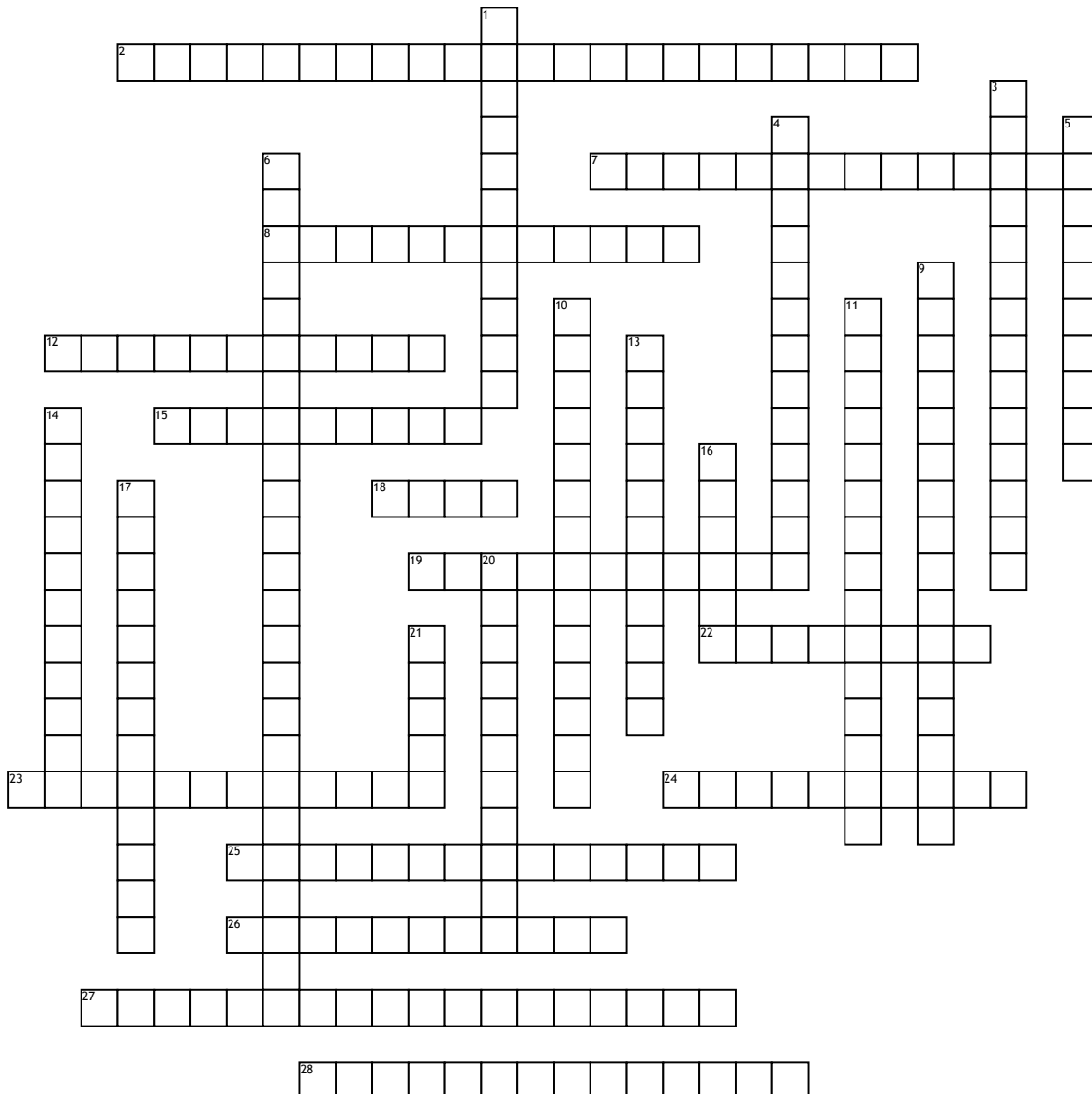


Black History Month Crossword



Across

2. American agricultural scientist and inventor who promoted alternative crops to cotton, most prominent black scientist of the early 20th century
7. American gay liberation activist and self-identified drag queen
8. The movement to end slavery
12. The first African-American child to desegregate the all-white William Frantz Elementary School in Louisiana
15. Best known for her pivotal role in the Montgomery bus boycott
18. Music genre that originated in the African-American communities of New Orleans, Louisiana, United States, in the late 19th and early 20th centuries, with its roots in blues and ragtime
19. Systematic separation of people into racial or other ethnic groups in daily life
22. African American Muslim minister and human rights activist best known for his time spent as a vocal spokesman for the Nation of Islam
23. 49th and current vice president of the United States
24. American track and field athlete and four-time gold medalist in the 1936 Olympic Games
25. American professional baseball player who became the first African American to play in Major League Baseball in the modern era
26. Widely regarded as one of the most influential electric guitarists in the history of popular music

27. A Baptist minister and social rights activist who was a leader of the American Civil Rights Movement

28. African-American woman whose cancer cells are the source of the HeLa cell line, the first immortalized human cell line

Down

1. A decades-long campaign by African Americans and their like-minded allies to end institutionalized racial discrimination, disenfranchisement and racial segregation in the U.S.
3. a group of primarily African-American military pilots and airmen who fought in World War II
4. American abolitionist and political activist who was born into slavery but escaped and subsequently made 13 missions to rescue approximately 70 enslaved people
5. Disparities in the distribution of economic assets and income
6. Executive order issued by Abraham Lincoln freeing all persons held as slaves
9. A decentralized political and social movement protesting against incidents of police brutality and all racially motivated violence against black people
10. American abolitionist and women's rights activist who was born into slavery but escaped, after which she became the first black woman to win a case against a white man
11. American Rhythm and Blues singer and songwriter

13. American professional boxer, activist, entertainer and philanthropist, widely regarded as one of the greatest boxers of all time

14. American politician and attorney who served as the 44th president of the United States

16. Prejudice, discrimination, or antagonism directed against a person or people on the basis of their membership in a particular racial or ethnic group

17. 26-year-old African-American woman who was fatally shot in her Louisville, Kentucky, apartment on March 13, 2020

20. African American man killed during an arrest after a store clerk alleged he had passed a counterfeit \$20 bill in Minneapolis

21. Music genre and musical form which was originated in the Deep South of the U.S. around the 1860s by African-Americans