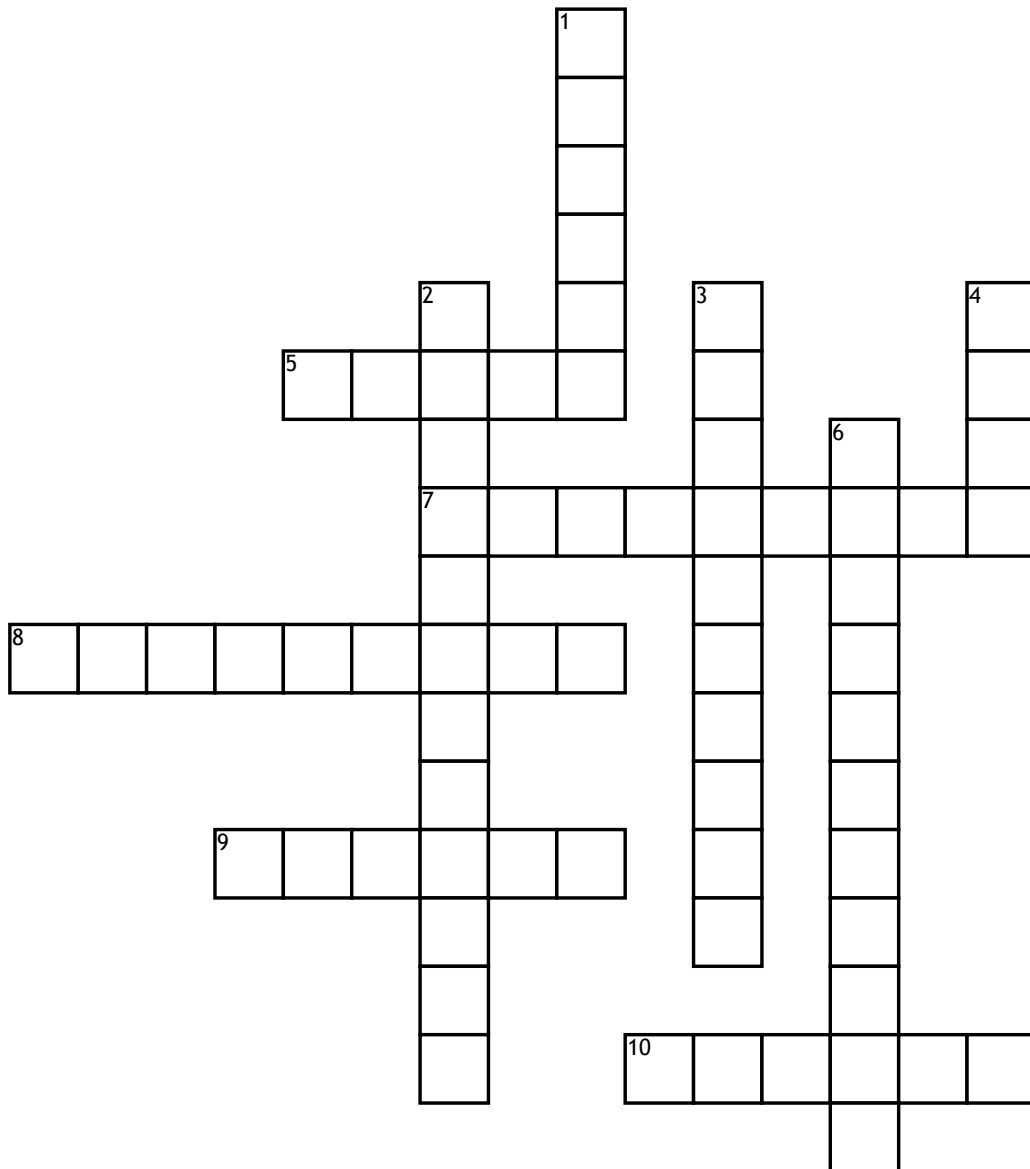


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Gold Rush



Across

5. A small piece of placer gold
7. This was iron pyrite that made many miners think they had found gold
8. A person who comes to a country in order to settle there
9. The act of extracting ores or coal from the earth
10. A mineral in which gold is often found

Down

1. This is a rocking device used in placer mining for separating gold from rock and gravel; also called a rocker
2. A port in western California near the Golden Gate that is one of the major industrial and transportation centers
3. Someone who explores an area for mineral deposits
4. What is soft, malleable, and easily crafted into beautiful decorative objects.
6. The nickname given to the men that rushed to California in 1849.