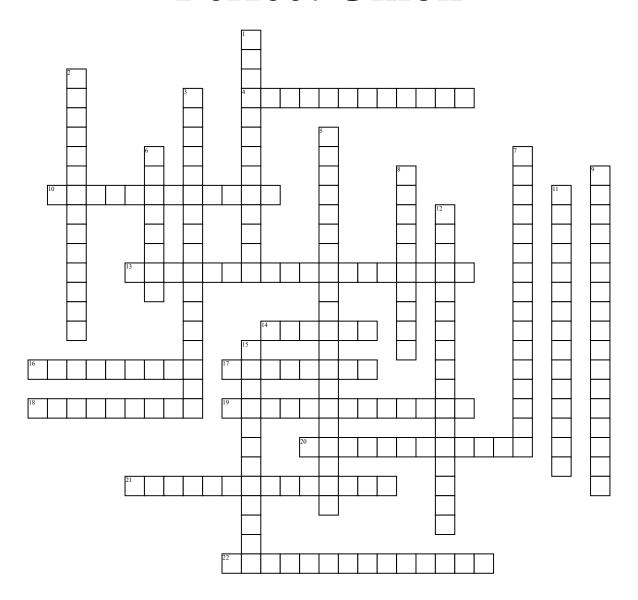
Name:	Date:	Period:
-------	-------	---------

Perfect Union



Across

- **4.** A document stating the rules under which a government will operate.
- 10. often called the "father of the constitution"
- **13.** set up the three-step process for admitting new states.
- 14. to approve something formally
- 16. a change or addition to a document
- 17. Person who officially represent their state
- **18.** The division of government between the central government and the constituent units, as in the national government and the states.
- **19.** The plan that called for a one house legislative branch with each stat being equally represented
- **20.** The plan that called for the legislative branch of the central government to be made up of two houses with the representation for the states base on their polulation

- **21.** The Massachusetts farmers' uprising that made it clear to many that the central government was too weak to protect states from popular unrest.
- **22.** against the constitution and favored states having more power than the central government

Down

- **1.** decided how slaves would be counted for states' population
- **2.** The branch of government that is a system of courts set up to interpret the law.
- **3.** The meeting of delegates in which the Articles of Confederation were scrapped in favor of a new United states constitution.
- **5.** The united states' first written plan for government.
- **6.** framer of the constitution from Pennsylvania who believed common people were the cornerstone of the democratic process

- 7. president of the constitutional convention
- **8.** supported the constitution and favored a strong central, or national, government
- **9.** The branch of government that make laws
- 11. The branch of government that enforces the laws
- **12.** The idea that each breanch of the government has specific ways to limit the power of the other branches
- 15. framer of the Constitution from Connecticut who believed common people could not be an integral part of the government decision making