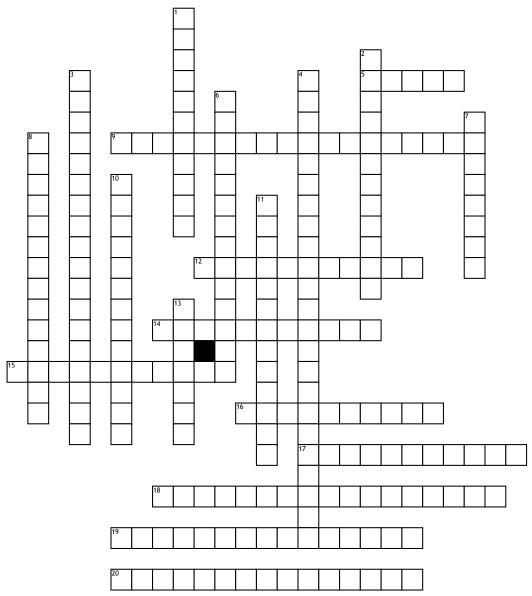
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Across

- 5. Spanish mission in San Antonio, Texas
- 9. The final battle of the Texas Revolution; resulted in the defeat of the Mexican army and independence for Texxas
- **12.** Spanish colonists in California in the 1800s
- **14.** A gold-seeker who moved to California during the gold rush
- **15.** Men hired by eastern companies to trap animals for fur in the Rocky Mountains and other western regions of the United States
- **16.** 11th president of the United States and supported of Jacksonian Democracy
- 17. A group of western travelers who were stranded in the Sierra Nevada during the winter of 1846-47; only 45 of the party's 87 members survived

- **18.** The purchase of French land between the Mississippi River and the Rocky Mountains that doubled the size of the United States (1803)
- **19.** A belief shared by many Americans in the mid-1800s that the United States should expand across the continent to the Pacific Ocean
- **20.** U.S. purchase of land from Mexico that included the southern parts of present-day Arizona and New Mexico (1853) **Down**
- 1. A 2000-mile trail stretching through the Great Plains from western Missouri to the Oregon Territory
- **2.** An important trade west from the independence, Missouri, to Santa Fe, New Mexico
- 3. Was an armed conflict between the United States of America and Mexico from 1846-1848

- **4.** A rebellion of colonists from the United States and Tejanos (Texas Mexicans) in putting up armed resistance to the centralist government of Mexico
- 6. The founder of Texas
- A massive movement of settlers to Califorina to make a fortune with newly discovered gold
- **8.** A revolt against Mexico by American settlers in California who declared the territory an independent republic (1846)
- **10.** A Mexican priest who led a rebellion of 80000 poor Indians and mestizos, or people of Indian and Spanish ancestry
- **11.** Two explorers who went on an expedition in 1804 to explore the Louisiana Purchase
- **13.** Members of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints