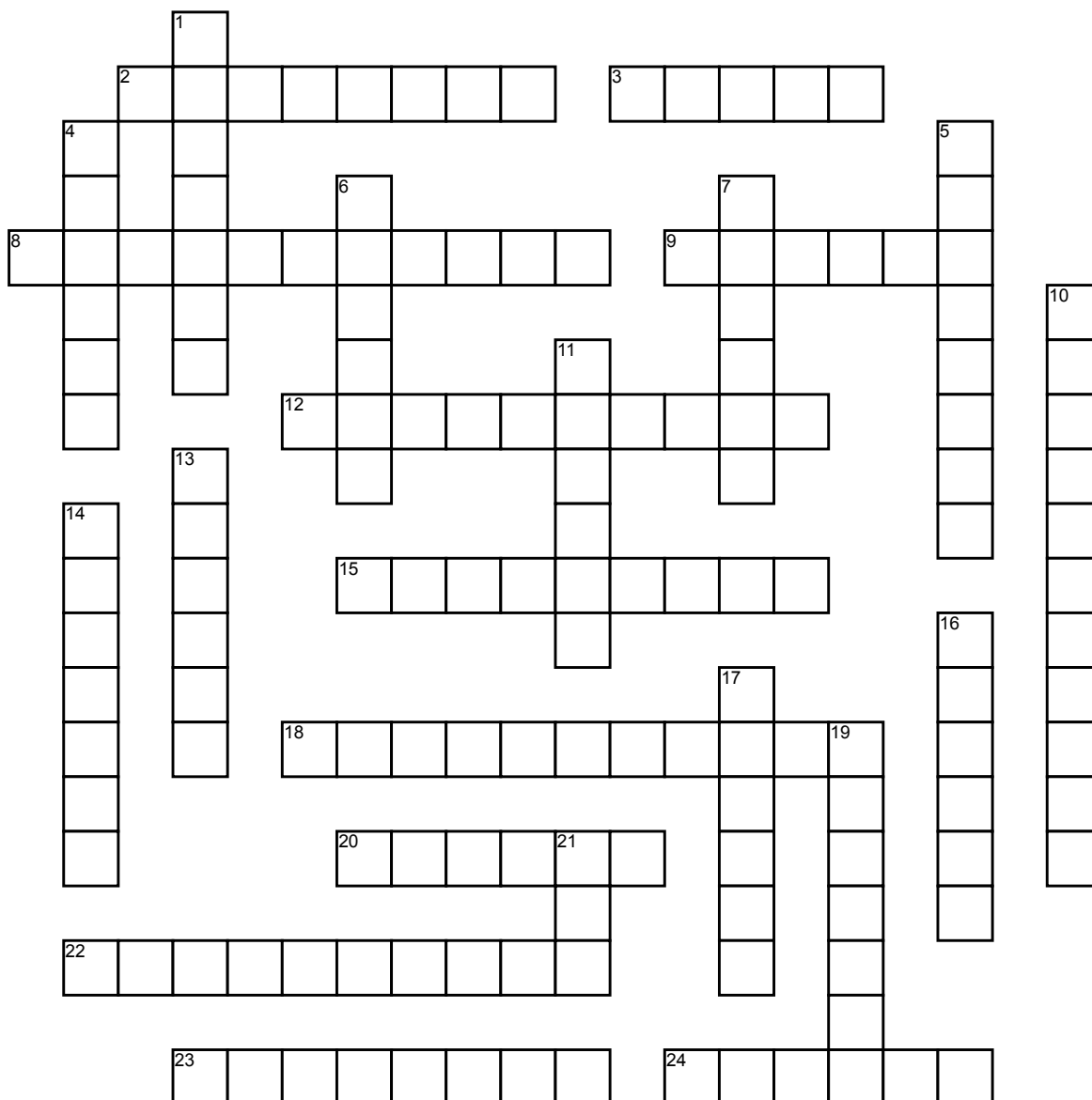


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Sign of the Beaver



Across

- 2.** to overpower or dim the vision of by intense light
3. firm and strict; serious
8. to make speechless with amazement; astonish
9. warmly and pleasantly cheerful; cordial
12. indifferent or unexcited; casual
15. to consider something deeply and thoroughly
18. displeased
20. to reply to, usually in a sharp or retaliatory way

- 22.** loosely made or held together; shaky

- 23.** to struggle with stumbling or plunging movements; hesitate

- 24.** any extremely severe or trying test, experience, or trial

Down

- 1.** having power and ability

- 4.** plucky; spirited

- 5.** alone; without companions; unattended

- 6.** a hole or tunnel in the ground made by a rabbit, fox, or similar animal

- 7.** to feel or show displeasure; anger or annoyance

- 10.** without interest and concern; not caring

- 11.** to breathe hard and quickly

- 13.** sharp in practical matters; clever

- 14.** to rob of goods or valuables by open force

- 16.** sober or mirthless

- 17.** a loud uproar, as from a crowd of people

- 19.** to regard with contempt; disgust

- 21.** to feel sorrow over