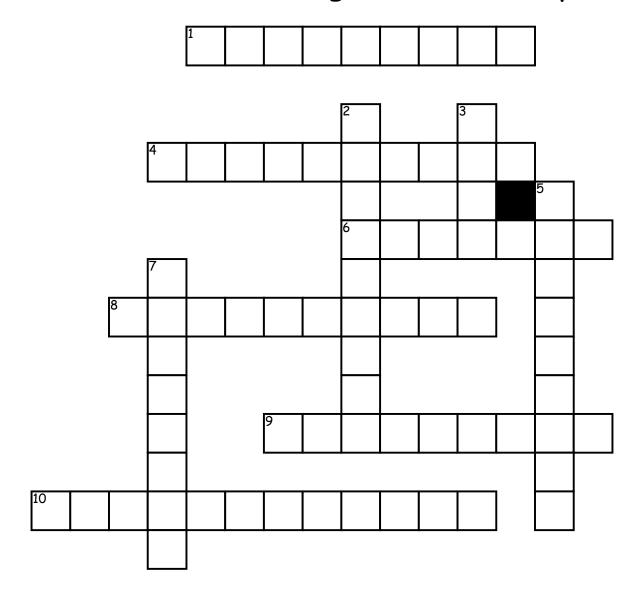
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## <u>Across</u>

- 1. to extort money from someone else by use of threats
- 4. experiencing uncontrollable outburst of emotion, fear or panic; often characterized with irrational laughing or weeping
- 6. hit hard, especially in the head
- 8. capable of being transmitted by bodily contact with an infected person or object; to spread from person to person
- **9**. to offer oneself for service without pay

10. a place for imprisonment, reformatory discipline or punishment

## Down

- 2. sensible; realistic; useful
- 3. excessively proud of or concerned about one's own appearance, qualities, or achievements; conceited
- 5. a thought, feeling or view based more on emotion than on reason
- 7. a small relatively inexpensive article given, kept, or purchased as a reminder of a place visited, on occasion; memento