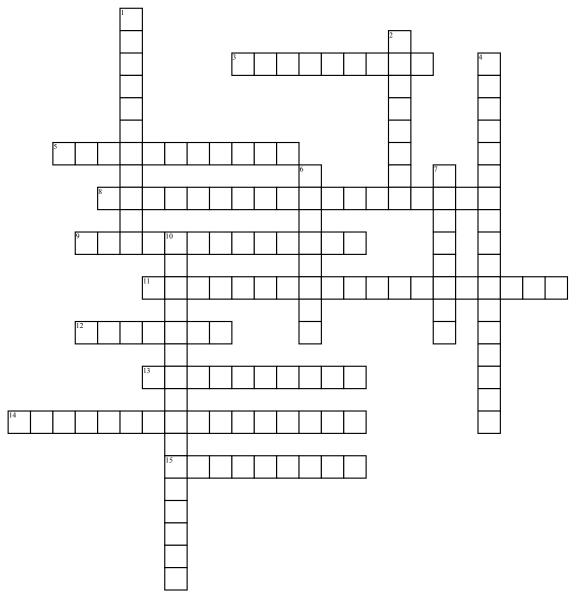
The Revolutionary War



Across

- **3.** this battle took place on Jan. 3, 1777; follows the battle of Trenton and was another Continental Army success
- **5.** this pamphlet, written by Thomas Paine, inspired colonists to declare and fight for independence
- **8.** this was one reason why Americans were victorious; they were able to communicate easily and were more familiar with the area
- **9.** this document officially ended the war and acknowledged American independence
- 11. this occured April 19, 1775; this was the first military confrontation of the Revolutionary War

- **12.** this battle took place on Dec. 25, 1776; the british army was caught off guard, and about 900 of them were captured
- **13.** having this united the colonists and made them determined to defeat the British
- **14.** an American general that used strategy to avoid situations that might lead to the Continental Army's destruction
- **15.** this group of colonists remained loyal to Great Britain during the war

Down

1. a british general who used slow-moving tactics which caused lack of British support

- **2.** the last battle of the war; the British were surrounded
- **4.** this is a British military strategy in which they weaken and wait or the surrender of the colonists in a central area (EX: New York)
- **6.** this group of colonists called for independence from Great Britain during the war
- 7. in this battle, colonists surrounded the British and caused general Burgoyne to surrender; also caused the British to change their strategy
- **10.** this document is significant because it allowed France to back the Continental Army after the Battle of Saratoga