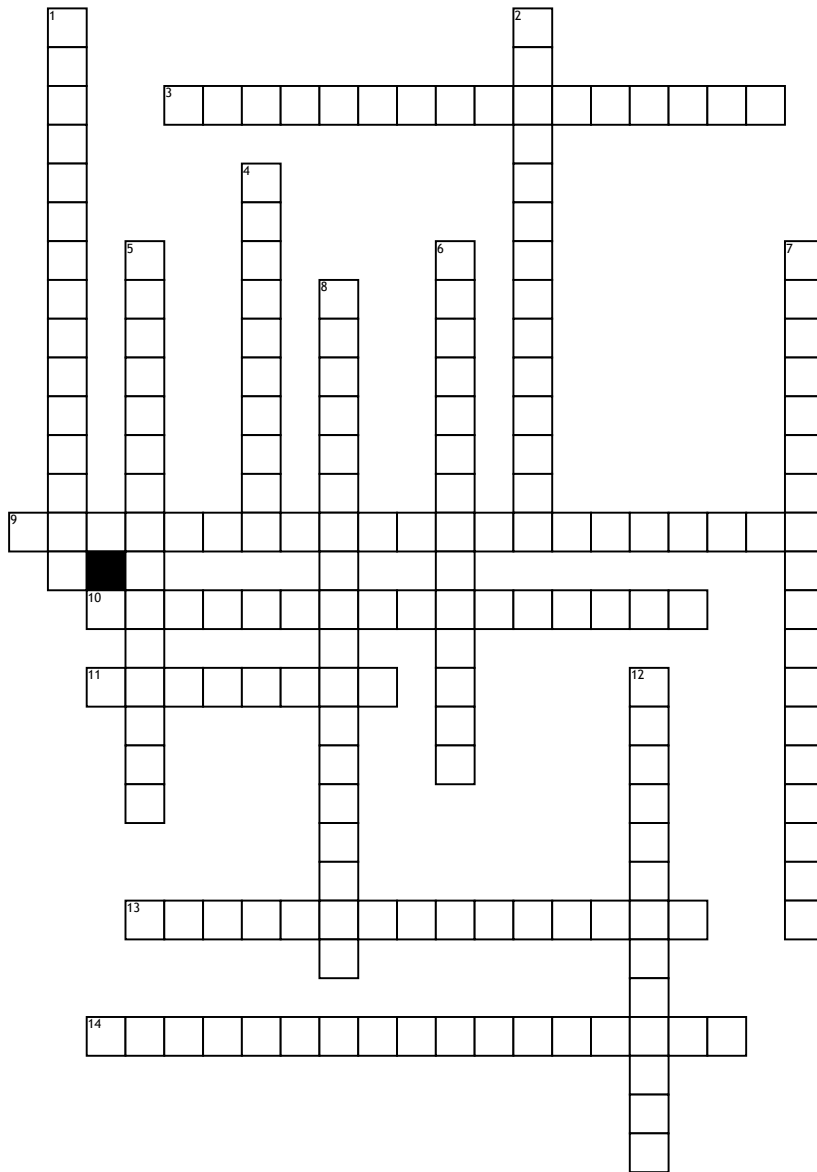


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Unit 6 Vocabulary



Across

3. defused a political confrontation between slave and free states on the status of territories acquired in the Mexican-American War.

9. The Great Debates of 1858

10. operated nationwide in the mid-1850s, originally starting as a secret society.

11. policy favoring the interests of established inhabitants over those of immigrants

13. to initiate a slave revolt in Southern states by taking over the United States arsenal at Harpers Ferry, Virginia

14. a territorial organic act that created the territories of Kansas and Nebraska

Down

1. an anti-slavery novel by American author Harriet Beecher Stowe.

2. one of two Democratic Party nominees for president in the 1860 presidential election,

4. a slogan that summarized the strategy used before the American Civil War

5. one of the two major contemporary political parties in the United States

6. an American statesman and lawyer who served as the 16th president of the United States

7. is expressed in Article V of the Constitution to ensure that constitutional amendments can only be passed by a majority vote.

8. a landmark decision of the US Supreme Court in which the Court held that the US Constitution was not meant to include American citizenship for black people

12. a short-lived coalition political party in the United States active from 1848 to 1854