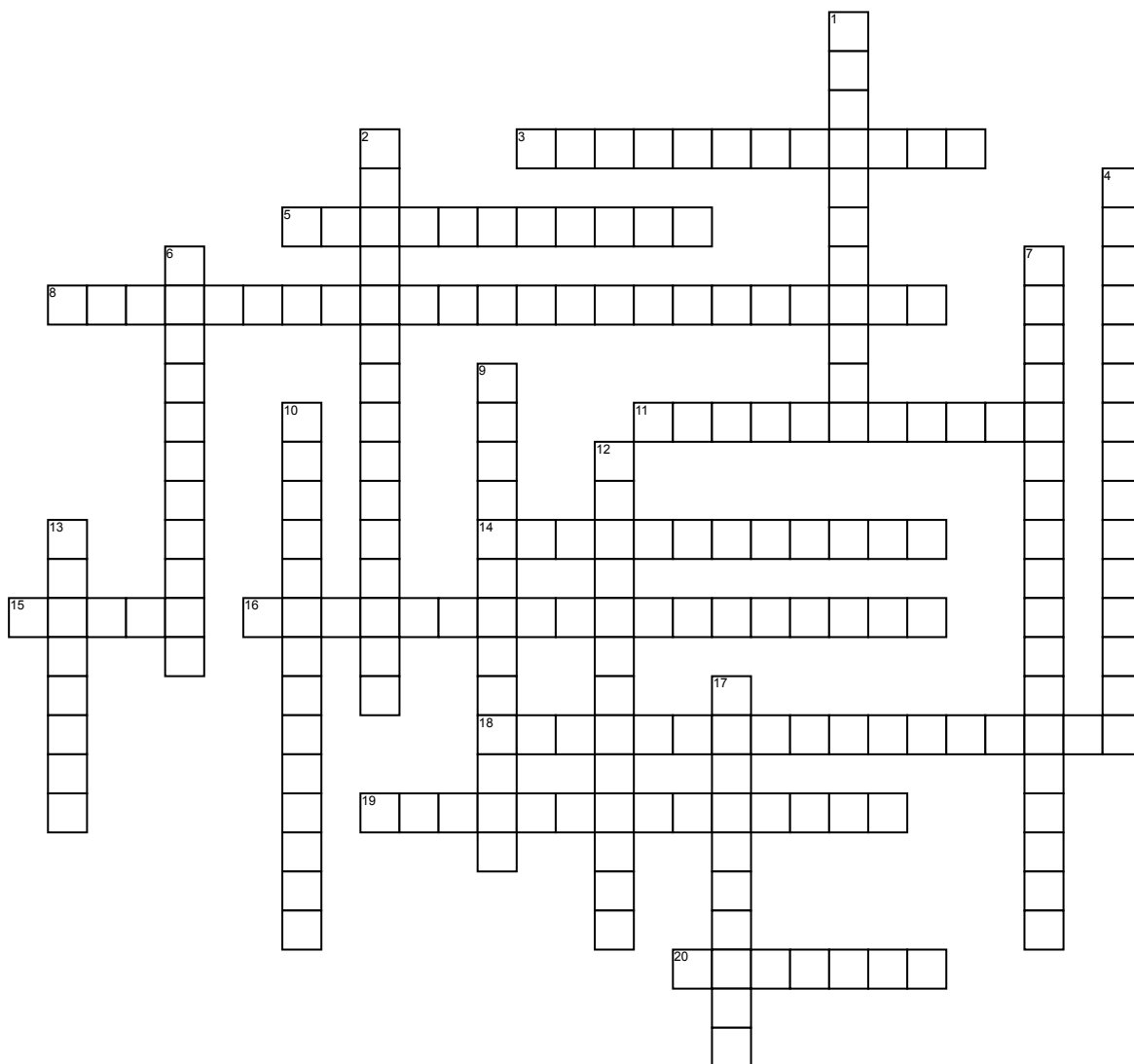


# Unit 8 Vocab



## Across

- 3.** People who moved to CA to seek gold  
**5.** A group of Western Travelers who were stranded in the Sierra Nevada during the Winter of 1846-47; only 45 out of 87 survived  
**8.** A rebellion of colonists from the U.S. and Tejanos in putting up armed resistance to the centralist government of Mexico  
**11.** A 2,000 mile trail stretching through the Great Plains from western Missouri to the Oregon Trail  
**14.** An important trade trail west from Independence, Missouri, to Santa Fe, New Mexico  
**15.** Spanish mission in San Antonio, Texas  
**16.** An armed conflict between the U.S. and Mexico from 1846 to 1848

- 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 revolt against Mexico by America settlers in California who declared the territory an independent republic(1846)  
**20.** members of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints

## Down

- 1.** Men hired by eastern companies to trap animals for fur in the Rocky Mountains and other western regions of the United States  
**2.** A belief shared by many Americans in the mid 1800s that the United States should expand across the continent to the Pacific Ocean  
**4.** U.S. purchase of land from Mexico that included the Southern parts of present-day Arizona and New Mexico(1853)

- 6.** Spanish Colonists in California in the 1800s  
**7.** The final battle of the Texas Revolution; resulted in the defeat of the Mexican army and independence for Texas(1836)  
**9.** Two explorers who went on an expedition in 1804 to explore the Louisiana Purchase  
**10.** The Founder of Texas  
**12.** A mexican Priest who led a rebellion of 80 thousand poor indians and mestizos  
**13.** A massive movement of settlers to California to make a fortune with newly discovered gold.  
**17.** 11th president; supported Jacksonian Democracy