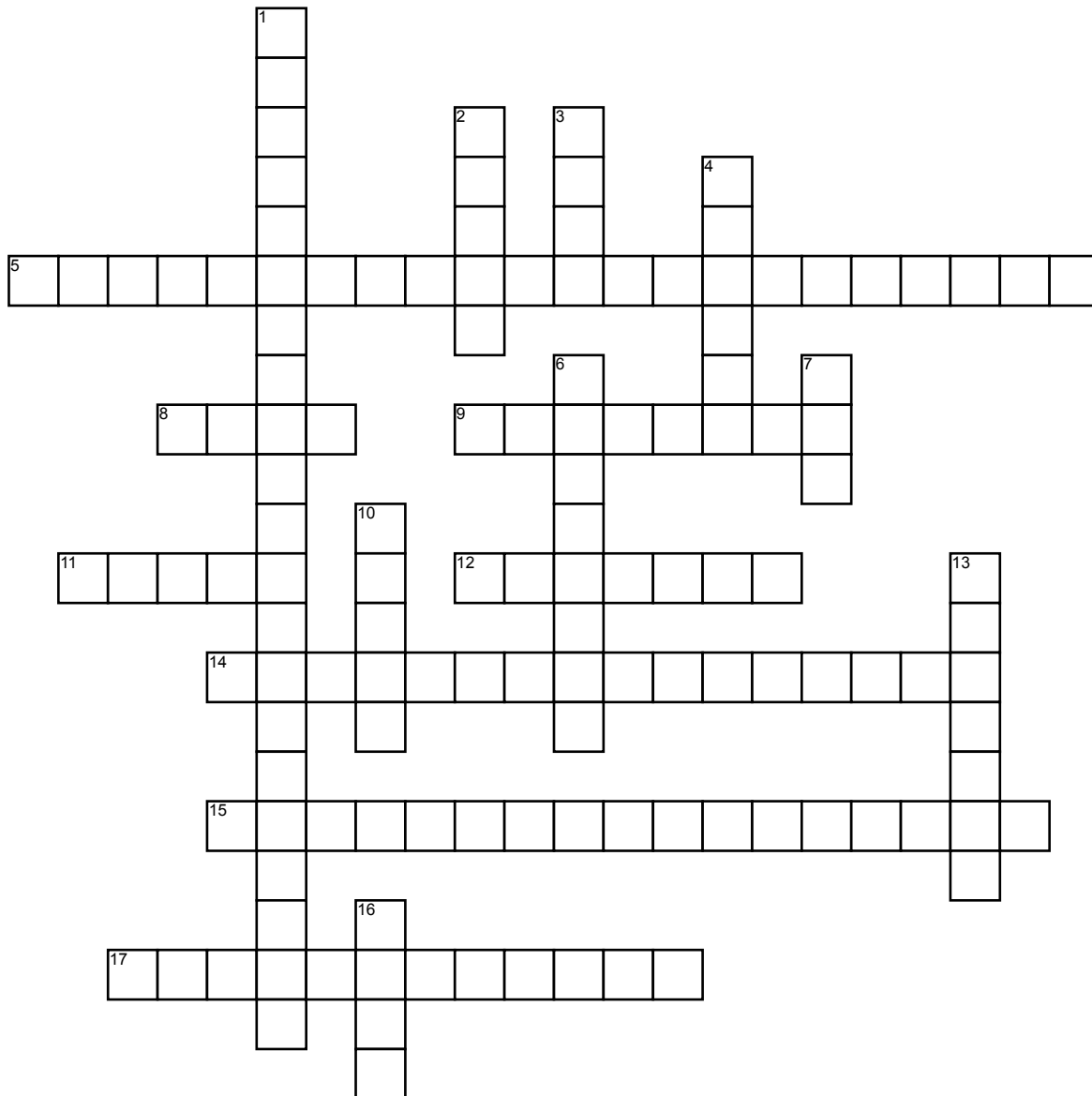


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# Voting Rights Crossword Puzzle



## **Across**

**5.** The voting rights act was signed into law by what President?

**8.** People wanted to exercise their right to?

**9.** In 1971, how many members belonged to the U.S. House of Representatives?

**11.** Voting Rights Activists in what region were subjected to various forms of mistreatment and violence?

**12.** The 24th Amendment made poll taxes?

**14.** What Act was put into law to overcome legal barriers at the state and local levels that prevented what group of people from exercising their right to vote?

**15.** A large March of outraged people occurred from where to where?

**17.** To prevent African Americans from voting, what type of test were they forced to take prior to voting.

## **Down**

**1.** Lyndon Johnson assumed the presidency after what President?

**2.** The opposite of big is?

**3.** The opposite of up is?

**4.** In 1965, the voting rights bill was passed in the?

**6.** This was lasted from 1861-1865

**7.** In 1971, how many African Americans served in the U.S. Senate?

**10.** Many racial incidents were captured where?

**13.** The voting rights act is a significant part of ?

**16.** The 1870 ratified 15th Amendment prohibited states from denying a male citizen the right to vote based on color, previous condition of servitude and?