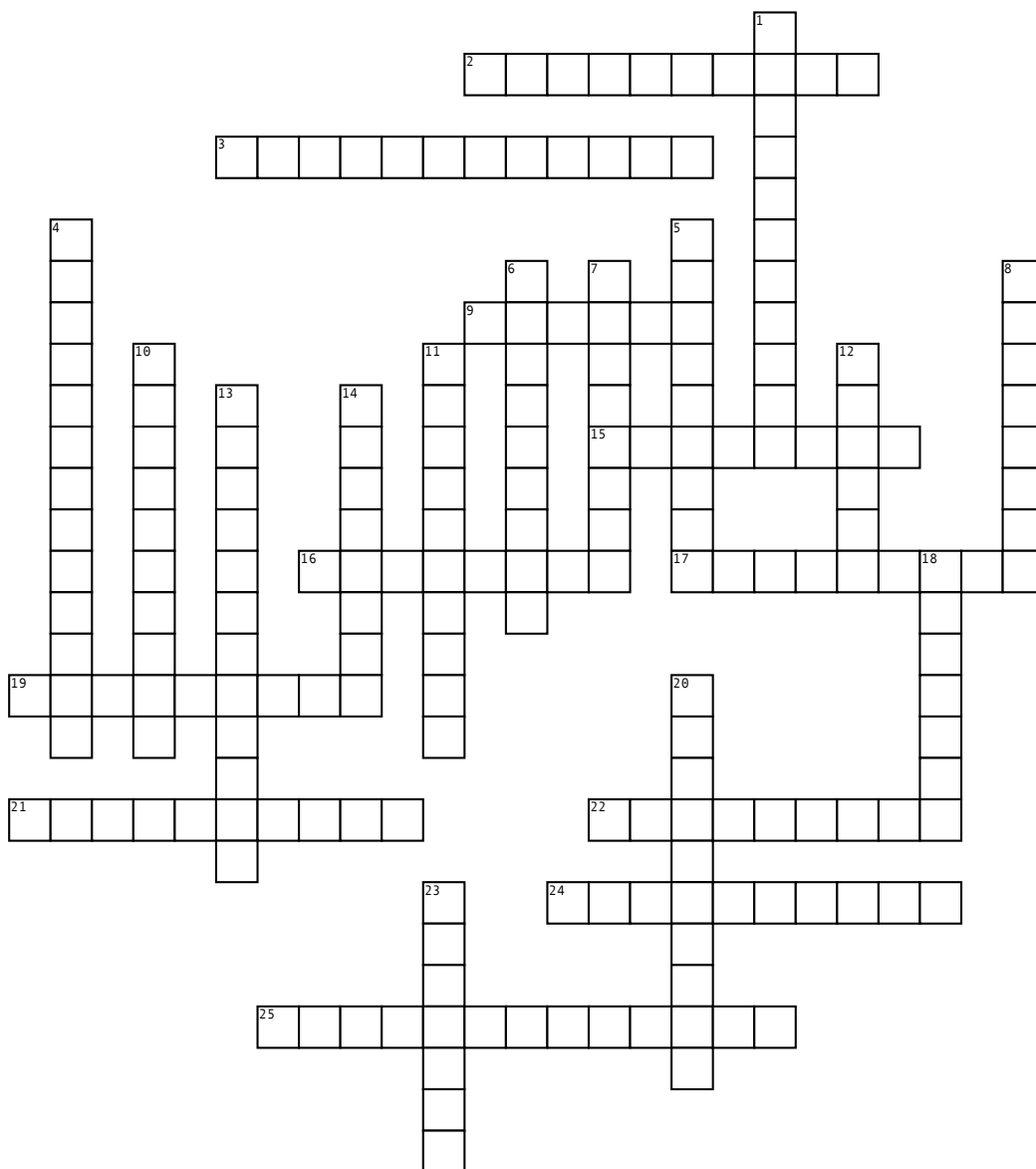


# WW: List 23



## Across

2. foreknowledge; a prescient vision came to him in a dream.  
 3. argumentative; the disputatious irritated the official.  
 9. retract; Galileo was forced to recant his heliocentric statements.  
 15. sharp; her incisive questions cut deeply into the the issue.  
 16. foreclose; don't preclude that opinion.  
 17. to list; please enumerate your reasons.  
 19. corrupt politician; the demagogue played on public prejudices  
 21. sacred; he would not endanger his sacrosanct bowling night.

22. bad noise; the cacophonous roar of the crowd was deafening.  
 24. combative; the pugnacious bully got his comeuppance.  
 25. racial or cultural prejudice; we deplore his narrow ethnocentrism.

## Down

1. masculine and feminine; the androgynous rock star.  
 4. limited; you must choose from certain circumscribed alternatives.  
 5. mediate; we are forced to intercede on behalf of the orphan.  
 6. teacher; a humorless pedant is a poor pedagogue.  
 7. touchable; a paycheck is one of the the tangible benefits of a job.  
 8. annul; we abrogate an agreement only out of dire necessity.

10. at birth; the problem is a congenital defect.  
 11. talkative; the loquacious fellow wore their ears out.  
 12. cancel; permission to travel has been revoked.  
 13. code breaker; British cryptologists cracked the German code.  
 14. abusive criticism; the German leader delivered a diatribe against France.  
 18. abnormality; there is an explicit anomaly in the data.  
 20. self centered; the egocentric snob didn't notice who he hurt  
 23. initials-name; the acronym NATO means N. Atlantic Treaty Organization.