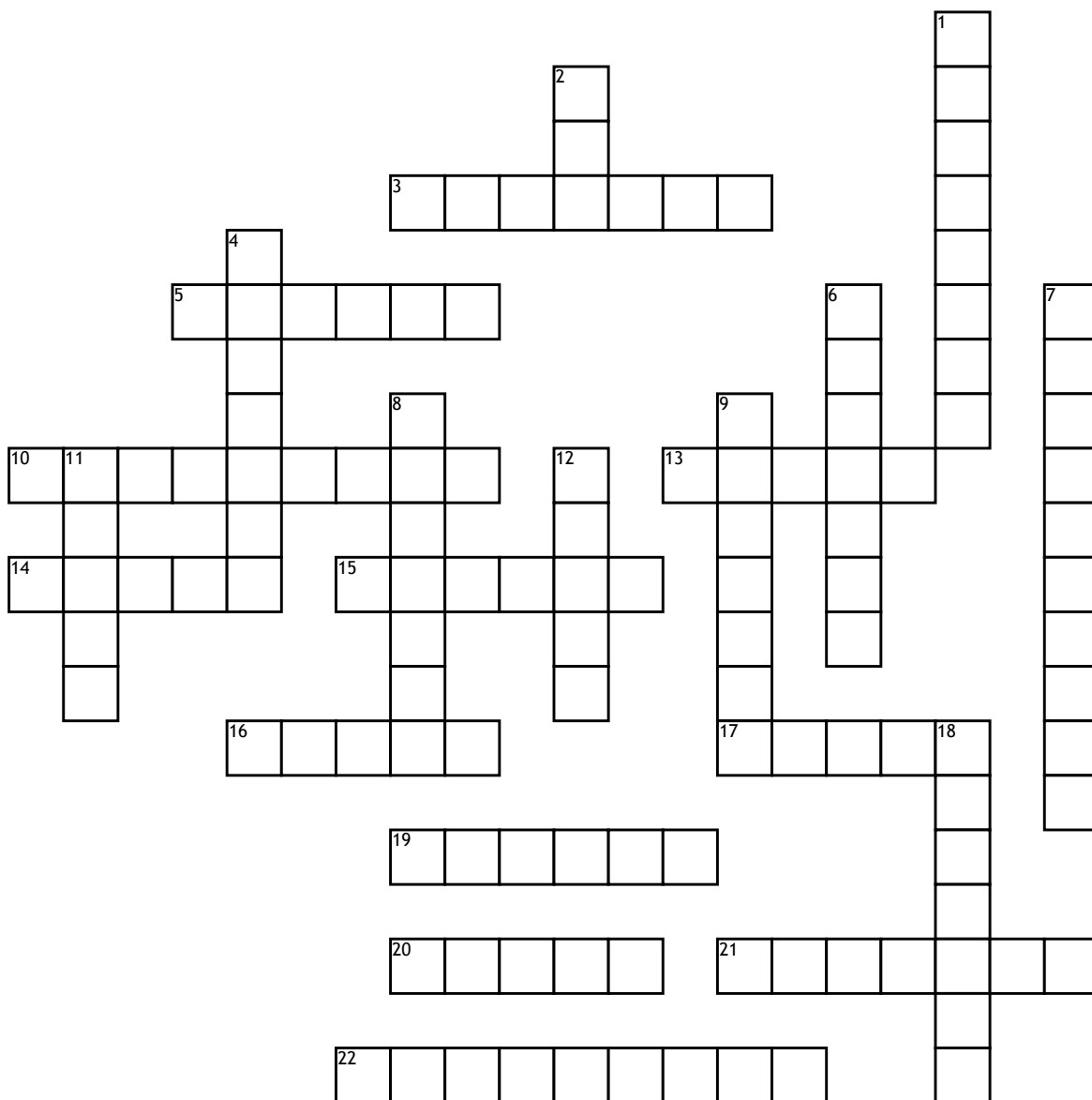


Words of The Wetland



Across

3. Common swamp tree.
 5. This large, herbivorous, semiaquatic rodent. It has been classified for a long time as the only member of the family Myocastoridae.
 10. Spends part of their life under water and part on land.
 13. This modern day term is believed to originate with a native american word "bayuk".
 14. White, slender bird often seen in the wetlands of the south.
 15. This ethnic group, who resides mainly in Louisiana, retain a unique dialect of the French language and numerous other cultural traits that distinguish them from their French ancestors.
 16. Small aquatic carnivorous mammal.

17. These native americans lived in the swamps of Louisiana long before anyone else.
 19. This family name is well known for the poplar reality tv show "Swamp People" on the History Channel.
 20. These tasty decapods prefer the saltier side of the bayou.
 21. This is the 5th most popular fish in America and 95% of it's supply comes from the south.
 22. This swamp inhabitant has a bite pressure of nearly 3,000 lbs

Down

1. Another name for Crawfish.
 2. Largest North American freshwater fish. Can survive in low oxygen conditions.

4. The method of using a large plastic bottle and fishing line to catch fish.
 6. Small canoe-like boat.
 7. This 1982 cult classic movie about a scientist that becomes a creature from the swamp. Directed by Wes Craven.
 8. Who Founded Louisiana?
 9. Perch and bluegills are often called this.
 11. The type of grassy terrain that often transitions land and water.
 12. What is the smallest species of catfish?
 18. The technical term for fishing with a hook, line and sinker.