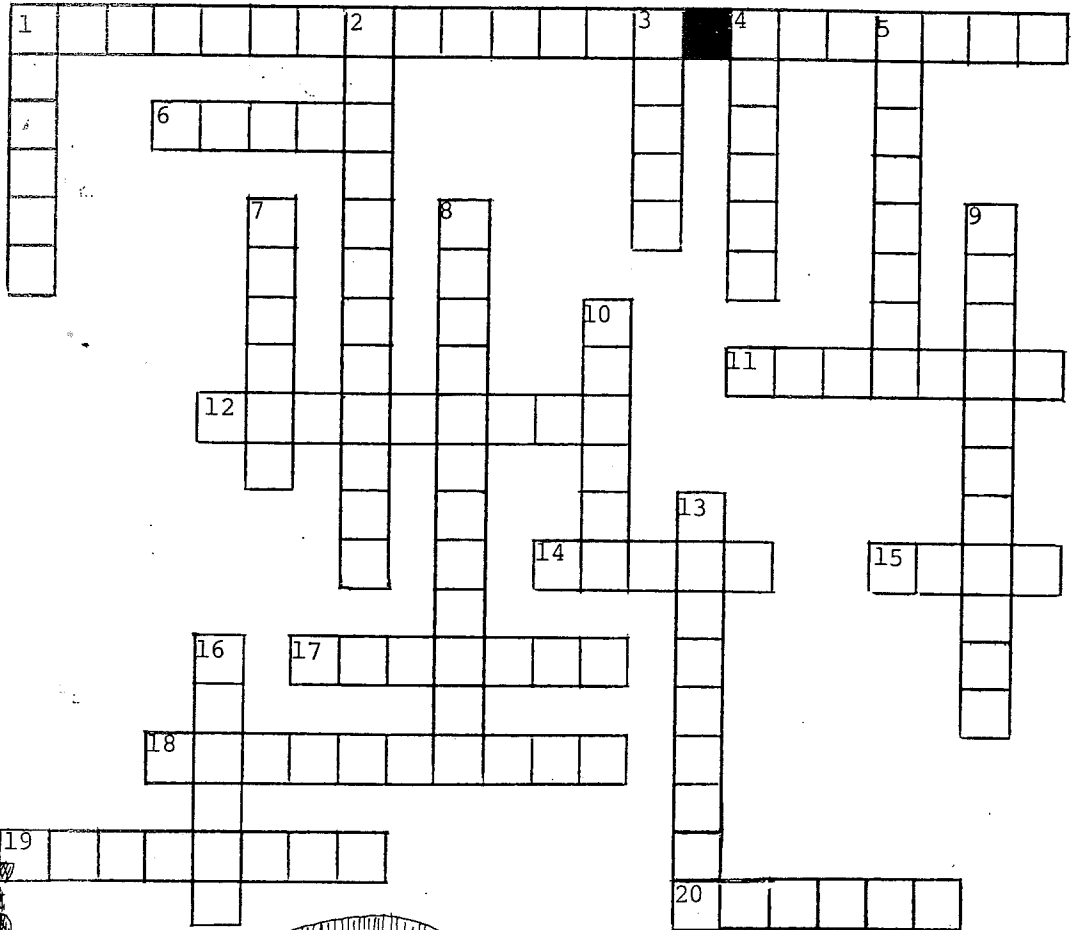


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The words below are used in the crossword puzzle:

Hidalgo	Gadsden	burros	Montezuma	Quetzalcoatl
Juárez	Maximilian	Toltec	Texas	conquistadores
France	Mayan	pyramids	Spain	Tenochtitlán
Cortes	SantaAnna	Aztecs	temples	Cárdenas
Díaz	viceroyalty			

CLUES

ACROSS

1. The Spanish word for conquerors.
4. Stately buildings used to worship one or more gods
6. An ancient Indian civilization that built temples in Yucatan and knew about astronomy and mathematics
11. The name of the purchase which brought southern Arizona and New Mexico into the United States
12. The Aztec-Mexica emperor at the time the Spaniards came
14. The large American state which became free of Mexico after Santa Anna's defeat
15. The dictator who ruled Mexico from 1876 to 1911
17. The leader of the Mexican war for independence from Spain
18. An Austrian archduke who Napoleon III proclaimed emperor of Mexico
19. A president in 1934 who was a strong leader and accomplished much reform
20. The most powerful Indian nation in Mexico that also made a calendar stone

DOWN

1. The leader of the first group of Spaniards to come to Mexico
2. The name of the Aztec-Mexico city built on an island
3. The European country which first ruled over Mexico
4. An ancient Indian tribe with fine architecture and art, influenced by the Mayans
5. Structures having a square base and triangular sides coming together at the top
7. Beasts of burden the Spaniards brought that became very important to the Indians
8. The "white god" of Indian legend, also the god of day and god of civilization
9. A country or district ruled by a viceroy under the authority of a king
10. The second European country to occupy Mexico City
13. Dictator of Mexico who was defeated at the Battle of San Jacinto
16. A Zapotec Indian who led a revolt to bring about private ownership of land