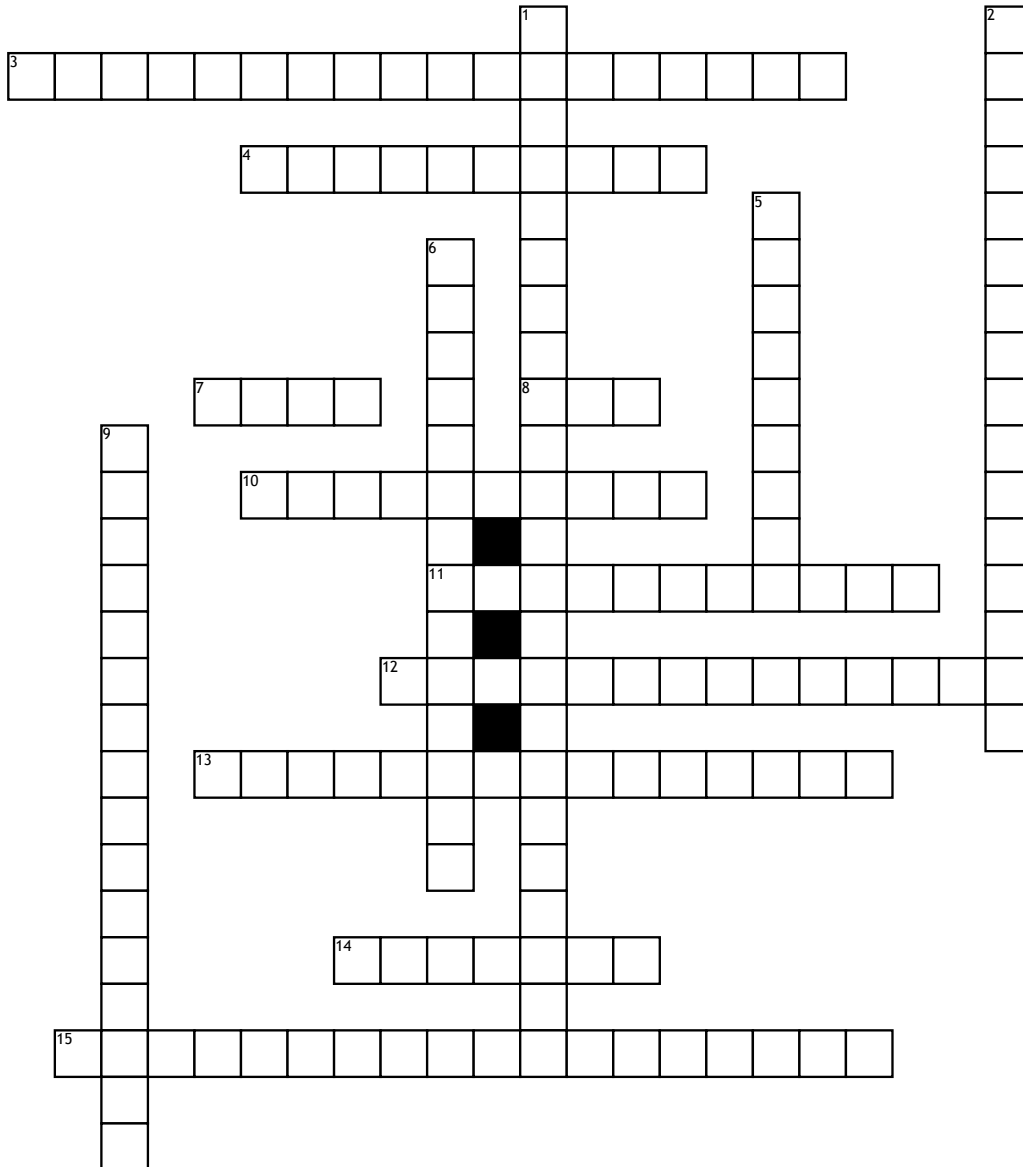


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Across

3. British legislation to punish officials who divulge private government business
4. role of the media which involves influencing what subjects become national political issues and for how long
7. a series, or log, of discussion items on a page of the World Wide Web
8. the government agency charged with regulating the electronic media
10. press or releases or other news items prepared for reporters

11. role of the media which concerns the making of political reputations by providing coverage and mentioning candidates

12. an official criterion for the renewal of broadcast licenses

13. an organization founded for the telegraphic dissemination of news in 1848

14. filmed stories for evening television news

15. the tendency of people to see what they like and ignore what they do not like

Down

1. U.S. legislation guaranteeing citizens access to certain government documents

2. journalism that seizes on information that might question the character or qualifications of a public official

5. a brief statement no longer than a few seconds used on a radio or television broadcast

6. events that become public only if revealed to reporters

9. the tendency of the national media to be suspicious of officials and eager to reveal unflattering stories about them