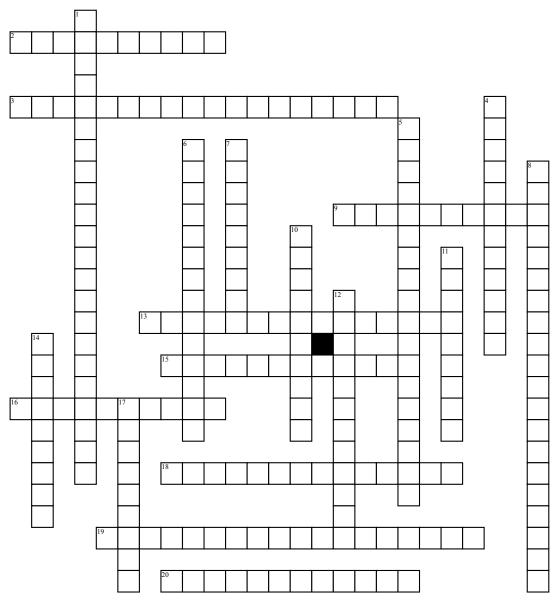
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Political Parties



Across

- **2.** All of the people entitled to vote in a given election.
- **3.** Parties based on a particular set of beliefs, a comprehensive view of social, economic, and political matters.
- **9.** Of or involving the agreement or cooperation of two political parties that usually oppose each other's polices.
- **13.** Parties that have split away from one of the major parties.
- **15.** In America politics, the Republican and the Democratic Parties
- **16.** A system in which several major and many lesser parties exist, seriously compete for, and actually win, public offices.
- **18.** A political system in which only one party exists.

- **19.** Party that concentrate on only on public policy matter.
- **20.** In America politics the party in power is the party that controls the executive branch of government- i.e., the presidency at the national level, or the governorship at the State Level

Down

- 1. Parties rooted in poor economic times, lacking a clear ideological base, dissatisfied with current conditions and demanding better times.
- **4.** Government action based on firm allegiance to a political party.
- **5.** A society which consists of several distinct cultures and groups.
- **6.** A group of persons who seek to control government through the winning of elections and the holding public office.

- 7. An alliance for combined action, especially a temporary alliance of political parties forming a government or of state.
- **8.** Electoral district from which one person is chosen by the voters for each elected office.
- **10.** One of the political parties not widely supported.
- 11. General Agreement
- **12.** Prejudice in favor of a particual cause.
- **14.** The current officeholder.
- **17.** In an election, the number of votes that the leading candidate obtains over the next highest candidate.