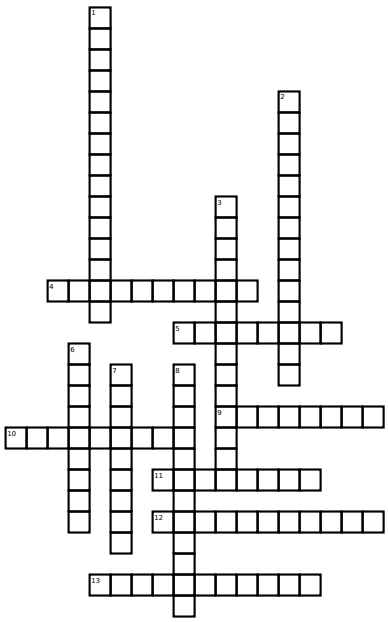
The Lives of Free African Americans



Down:

1. The first African American-owned and operated newspaper in the U.S.
2. Unfair treatment faced by free Black people in both the North and South
3. A common way for free Black children to learn a trade
6. A wealthy Black ship owner and activist who promoted the idea of resettlement in Africa
7. Societies formed by free Blacks to provide support and assistance to their community
8. A minister and educator who founded the African Methodist Episcopal (AME) Church

Across:

4. Laws passed in the South to restrict the rights of free African Americans
5. A formal written request appealing to authority, often used by free Blacks to fight for rights
9. In most states, free Black men were denied this basic right of citizenship
10. The first independent Black denomination in the United States
11. Despite many restrictions, some free Black people were able to own land and _____
12. The legal act of an enslaver freeing their enslaved people
13. The enforced separation of different racial groups in a country or community

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