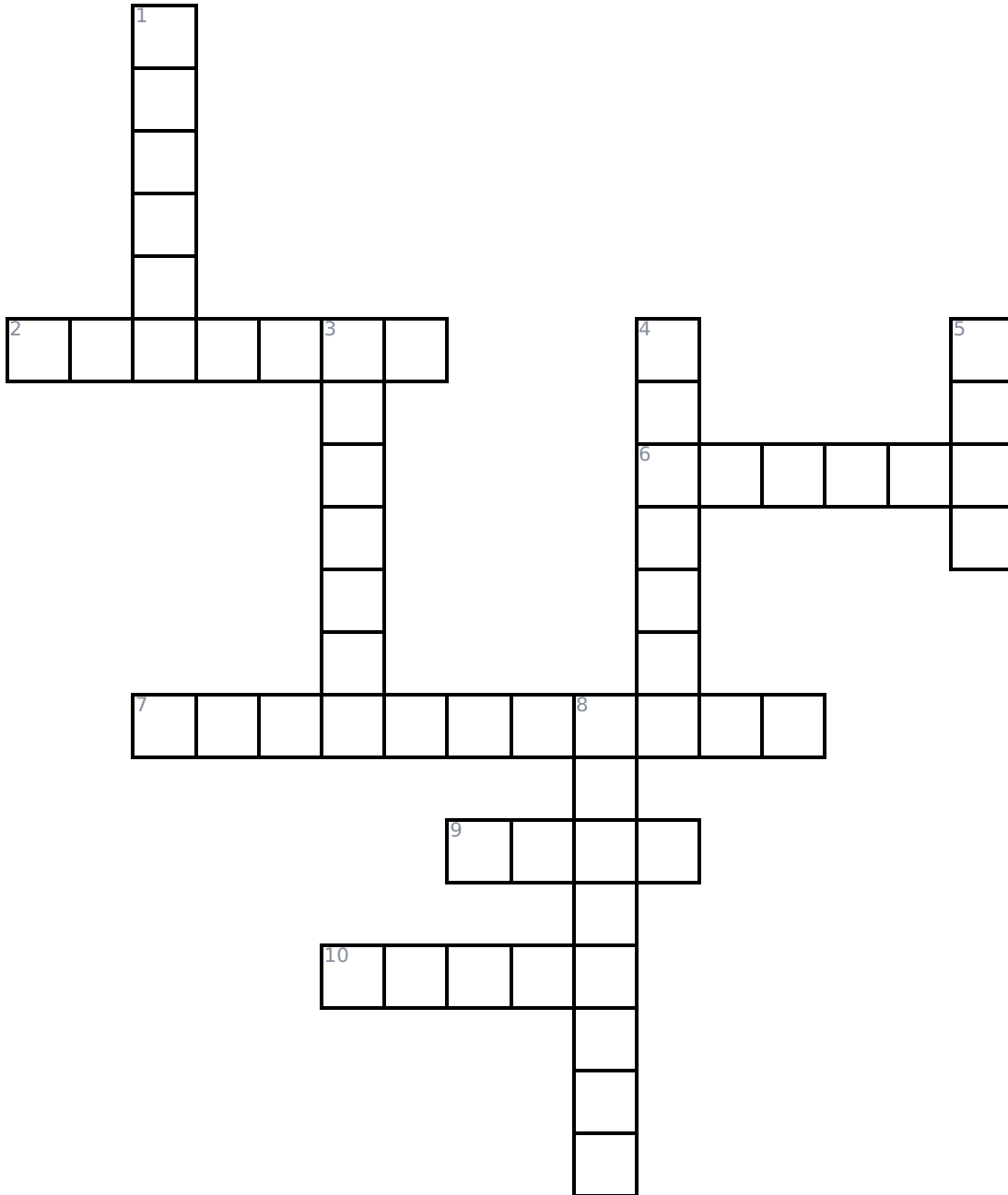


## A Long Way from Chicago: Criss Cross

Answer clues based on the content and vocabulary words from A Long Way from Chicago. Look for hints in the Word Bank. Print the puzzle or use on your tablet, phone, or computer.



## Across

2. In 1932, Grandma's plan to swap names in a pie-baking \_\_\_ backfires.
6. In 1933, Mary Alice is fascinated with the film star, Shirley \_\_\_.
7. Joey and Mary Alice visit their \_\_\_ for a week in August every year.
9. In the summer of 1930, Grandma teaches the Cowgill boys a lesson and threatens Mr. Cowgill's \_\_\_ business.
10. In 1942, Joey's army air corps \_\_\_ passes by Grandma's house.

## Down

- 1. The summer of 1934 finds Joey infatuated with a new type of car called the \_\_\_ Terraplane 8.
- 3. In the summer of 1929, Grandma lies to a reporter about \_\_\_ Cheatham.
- 4. In 1931, Grandma uses a stolen boat and illegal traps to catch \_\_\_ from a lake to help drifters.
- 5. At the beginning of the book, \_\_\_ is nine years old and his sister, Mary Alice, is seven.
- 8. The summer of 1935 brings confrontation between Grandma and Mrs. Weidenbach over whose family is the most \_\_\_.

## Word Bank

JOEY  
CATFISH  
TALENTED

GRANDMOTHER  
CONTEST  
TRAIN

SHOTGUN  
TEMPLE

MILK  
HUDSON

# Answer Key

