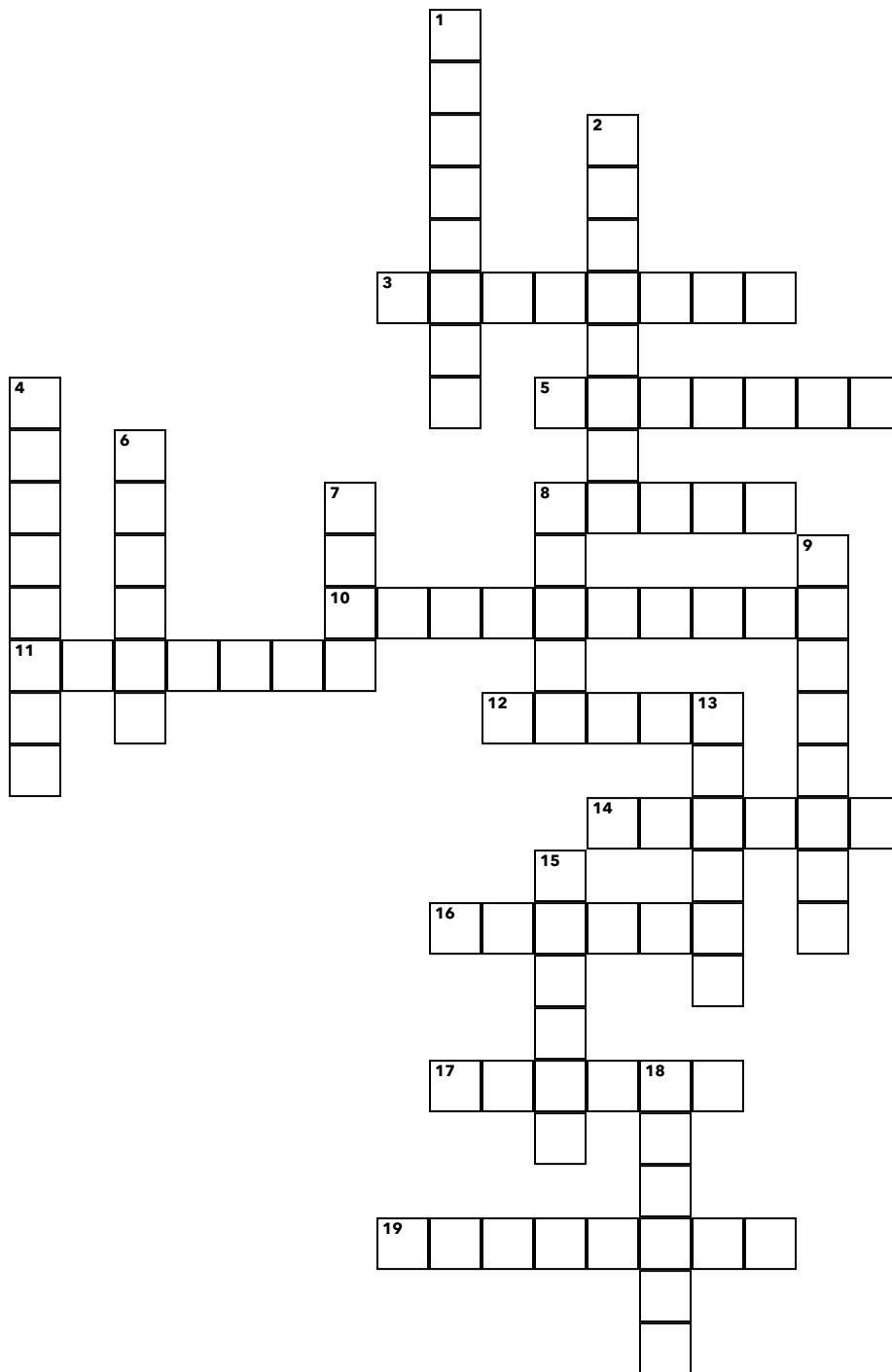


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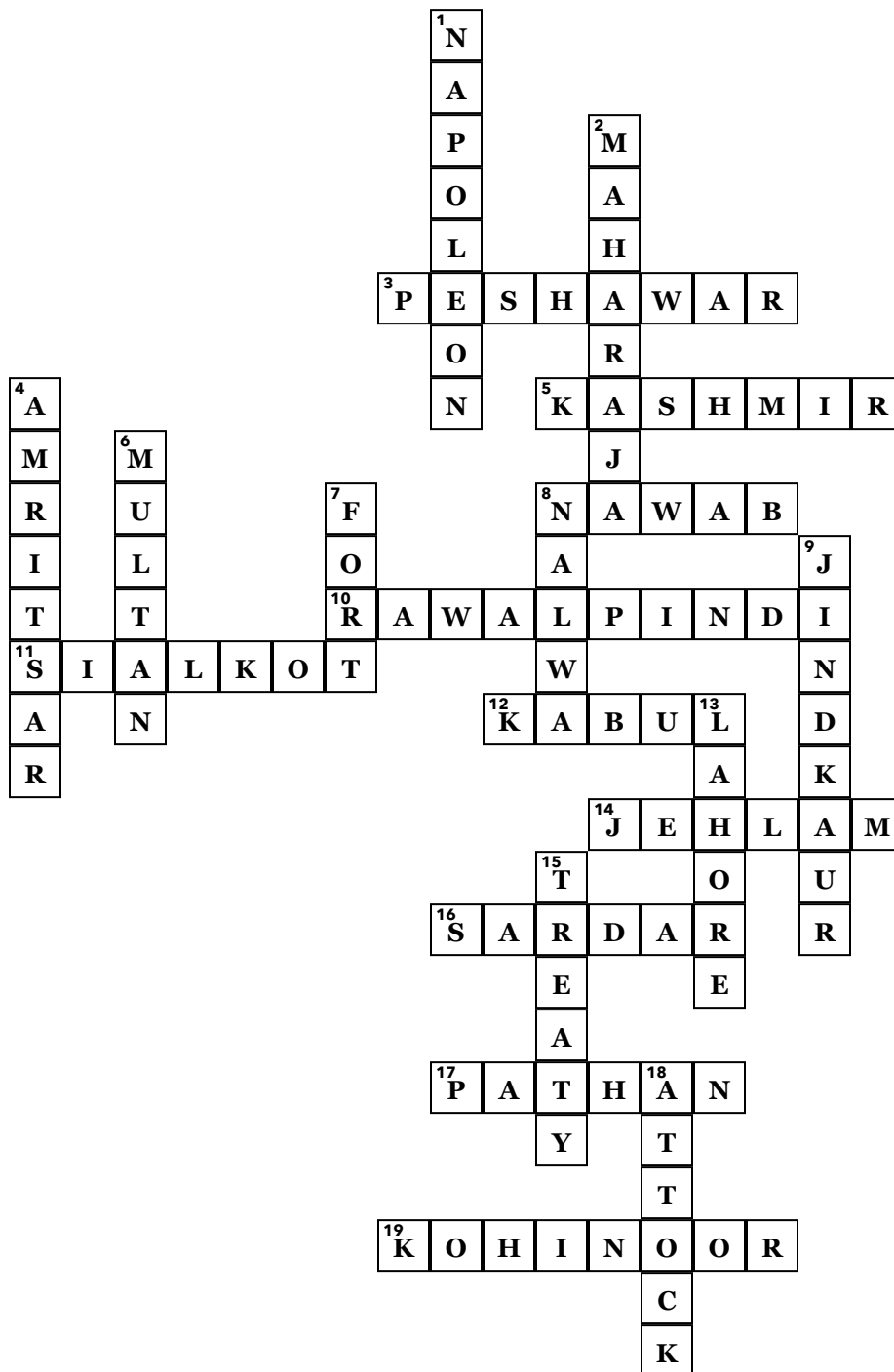
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- 5 Mountain valley conquered by Ranjeet Singh in 1819, prized for its famous shawls.
- 8 A Muslim ruler or governor; many Nawabs became tributaries of the Sikh Empire.
- 10 Important northern city and military base secured by the Sikh Empire.
- 11 Northern Punjab city brought under Sikh control by Ranjeet Singh in 1808.
- 12 Capital of Afghanistan whose rulers repeatedly threatened Punjab before being checked by the Sikh army.
- 14 A river of Punjab that formed a natural boundary in the Sikh Empire's western territories.
- 16 A Sikh military chief or noble leader.
- 17 Afghan warrior people who fought repeatedly against Sikh armies at Peshawar and beyond.
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- 4 The holiest city of the Sikhs, home of the Golden Temple, captured by Ranjeet Singh in 1804.
- 6 Heavily fortified southern city that fell to Sikh forces after a long siege in June 1818.
- 7 A military stronghold – Ranjeet Singh captured dozens across Punjab and the northwest.
- 8 Hari Singh ____, Ranjeet Singh's greatest general who died defending the fort of Jamrood in 1837.
- 9 The last queen of Ranjeet Singh and mother of Daleep Singh – two words.
- 13 The great capital city of the Sikh Empire, entered by Ranjeet Singh in 1799.
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- 13 **LAHORE** – The great capital city of the Sikh Empire, entered by Ranjeet Singh in 1799.
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