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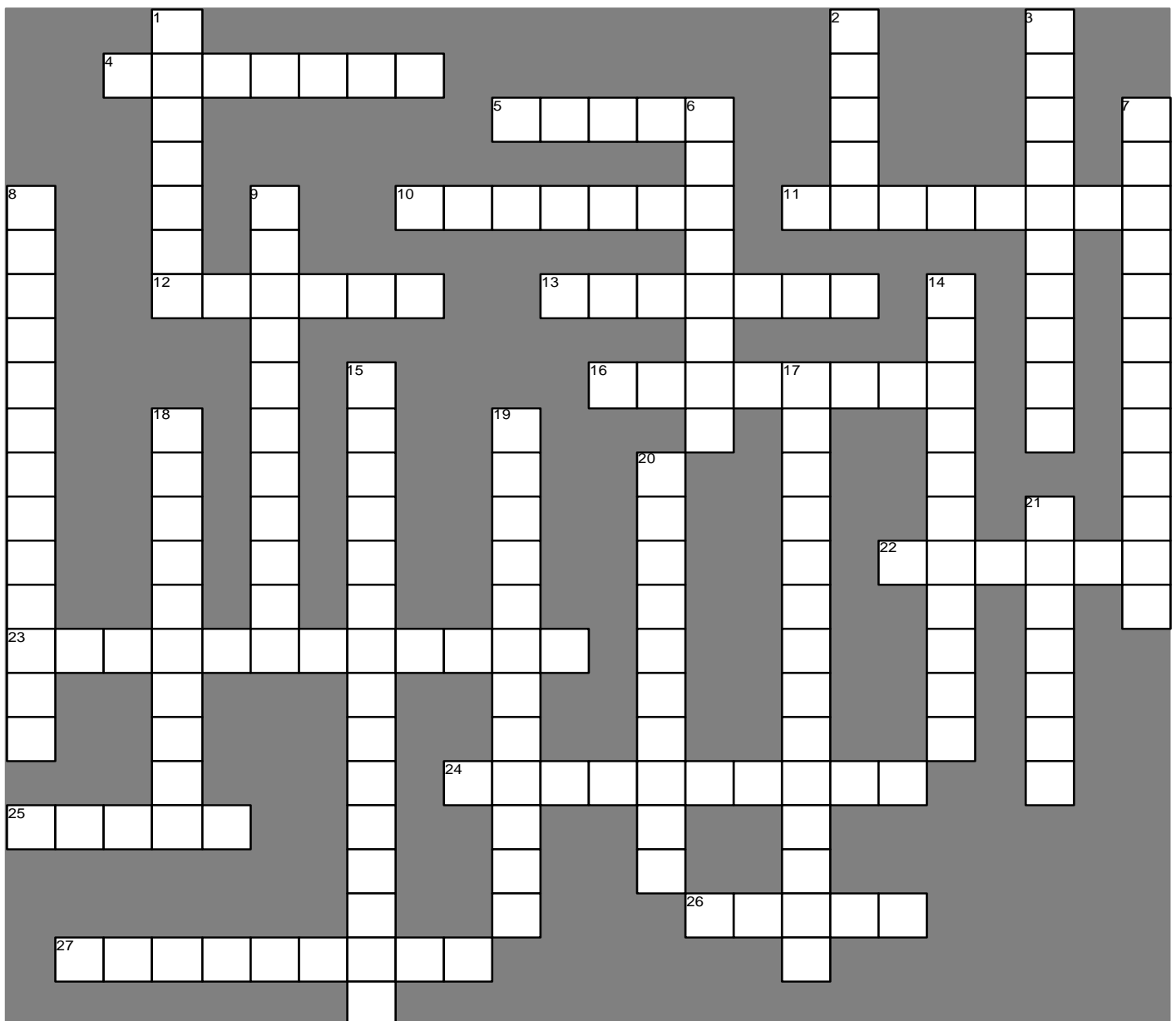
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Ponce de Leon Inlet Light Station

Post Visit Crossword Puzzle

Directions: Using the information that you learned during your visit to the Ponce Inlet Light Station, answer the clues listed on the back of this worksheet and complete the crossword puzzle below. Have fun and good luck. This puzzle may also be completed online at:

<http://www.mycrosswords.com/266/PonceDeLeonInletLighthouse/PonceDeLeonInletLighthouse.html>



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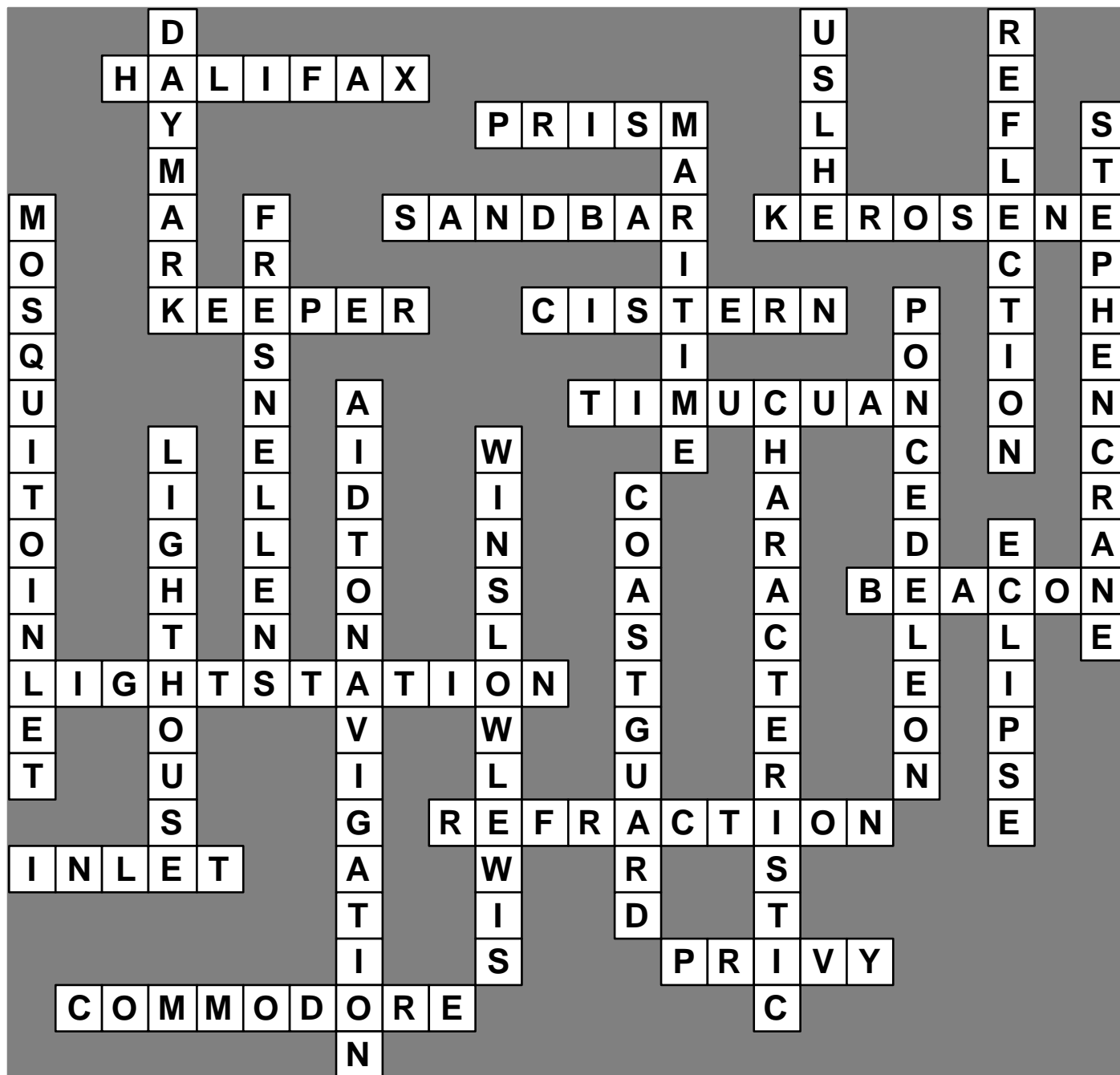
- 4.** Although it is technically a salt water lagoon, this "river" is formed by a long barrier island stretching north from Ponce Inlet.
- 5.** A clear object used in lighthouses beacons that bends and reflects light.
- 10.** A shallow ridge of sand, gravel, or silt that is formed by currents and usually lies just below the surface of the water.
- 11.** Lighthouse keepers used this type of fuel to power the Ponce Inlet lighthouse's beacon in days before electricity.
- 12.** A person who is responsible for running and maintaining a lighthouse.
- 13.** This large underground tank held rainwater and provided the keepers and their families with most of their drinking water.
- 16.** This group of Native Americans lived throughout northeast Florida long before the first Europeans arrived.
- 22.** The bright light at the top of a lighthouse is called this.
- 23.** The term used to describe a lighthouse and all the buildings around it.
- 24.** The bending of light.
- 25.** A narrow body of water leading inland from a larger body of water.
- 26.** Before indoor plumbing, the lighthouse keepers and their families had to use this outdoor bathroom.
- 27.** The name of the famous filibuster ship that sank 12 miles off the coast of Daytona Beach in 1897.

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- 1.** The unique shape, style, and color of a lighthouse that allows it to be identified by passing ships during the day.
- 2.** This acronym was commonly used to identify the United States Light House Establishment.
- 3.** Term used to describe when light bounces off a shiny surface and changes direction.
- 6.** The term used to describe all activities that take place on or near the sea.
- 7.** This famous author wrote the Civil War novel "The Red Badge of Courage" and the short story "The Open Boat".
- 8.** Well known for its clouds of biting insects, the area now known as Ponce Inlet was once called this.
- 9.** This commonly used type of lighthouse beacon was invented by a Frenchman in 1822 and uses glass prisms and lenses to focus and direct light.
- 14.** Many believe that this famous Spanish explorer visited the Halifax area shortly after discovering Florida in 1513.
- 15.** Lighthouses, buoys, and channel markers are all examples of this.
- 17.** The term that is used to describe a lighthouse beacon's unique appearance and/or flash pattern.
- 18.** A tower or building that houses a bright light that guides ships at night is called this.
- 19.** Built in 1835, the first lighthouse built at Mosquito Inlet was designed by this man.
- 20.** This branch of the military took over all of the nation's lighthouses in 1939.
- 21.** This term is used to describe the time when a lighthouse's beacon is not flashing or cannot be seen.

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Post-Visit Crossword Puzzle Solution



Words Used in Puzzle: Halifax, prism, sandbar, kerosene, keeper, cistern, Timucuan, beacon, light station, refraction, inlet, privy, Commodore, day mark, U.S.L.H.E., reflection, maritime, Stephen Crane, Mosquito Inlet, Fresnel Lens, Ponce de Leon, aid to navigation, characteristic, lighthouse, Winslow Lewis, Coast Guard, eclipse