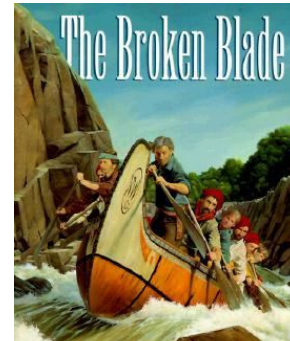
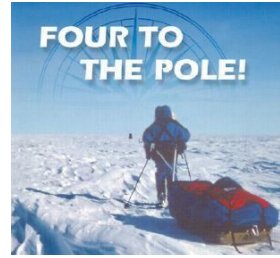
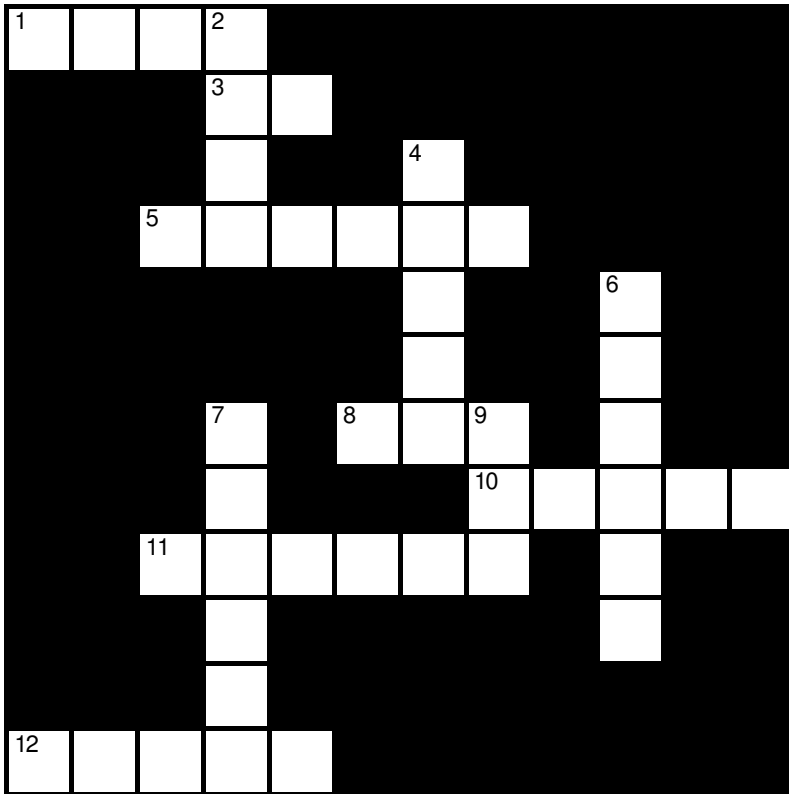


# Minnesota

What do you know about your home state?



## Across

1. \_\_\_\_ is a salty meat made in MN, eaten by soldiers in WWII
3. newest MN Senator is \_\_ Franken
5. 1980 Olympic Gold Medal team from MN played \_\_\_\_
8. 500 million years ago MN was an ancient tropical \_\_\_\_
10. MN author-illustrator \_\_\_\_ Carlson draws book characters Harriet, Walt, Louanne Pig, Loudmouth George
11. author William \_\_\_\_ lives in northern MN and wrote *The Broken Blade*
12. Doughboy called *Poppin'* \_\_\_\_ is a symbol of the Pillsbury Company

## Down

2. \_\_\_\_ Clinic in Rochester, MN is famous for helping sick people
4. \_\_\_\_ Ventura, former governor of MN and wrestler
6. Grammy Award winning rock musician \_\_\_\_ grew up in Minneapolis; wrote *Purple and Gold* for the Vikings
7. Kids play with Tonka \_\_\_\_ made in MN
9. MN woman explorer and author of *Four to the Pole* is \_\_\_\_ Bancroft