American Reconstruction Crossword Puzzle

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| **Across****1.** These people were a part of the Republican Party and believed blacks were entitled to the same rights as whites.**5.** The Klux Klan is a secret \_\_\_\_\_\_ group that aimed to suppress the newly acquired rights of black people and terrorized other races as a way to enforce white supremacy.**8.** A bureau that provided food, clothing, hospitals , and schools to newly freed blacks and poor whites as a means of integrating these people back into society. **9.** Under The Fourteenth Amendment, all people born in the US were considered \_\_\_\_\_\_.**11.** The Compromise of 1877 signaled an end to this.**13.**  A bill originally pocket vetoed by President Lincoln, that required 50% of all voters in 1860 to take an “iron clad” oath in order to prove their allegiance to the Union.**14.** This is the name for a Northerner who ventured South after the Civil War to make a profit from reconstruction.**15.** This is an agricultural production system where landowners contribute their land to their laborers and often money to complete daily tasks. | **Down****2.** The government of a colony, dependent country, or region by its own citizens.**3.** The Fifteenth Amendment prohibits the federal and state governments from denying a citizen the right to vote based on that citizen's color, previous condition of servitude, and \_\_\_\_\_.**4.** This is a person that works farm land rented from its owner and will pay the landowner with part of his harvest, rather than money.**6.** The Panic of 1873 was a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ crises that stands as the first global depression brought about by industrial capitalism.**7.** These laws had the intent and the effect of restricting African Americans' freedom, and of compelling them to work in a labor economy based on low wages or debt.**10.** Rutherford B. Hayes was the 19th president and went into office at the \_\_\_\_\_\_ of reconstruction.**12.** This was a name for a white Southerner who collaborated with northern Republicans during Reconstruction, often for personal profit. |