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| **Across**  **4.** A document stating the rules under which a government will operate.  **10.** often called the "father of the constitution"  **13.** set up the three-step process for admitting new states.  **14.** to approve something formally  **16.** a change or addition to a document  **17.** Person who officially represent their state  **18.** The division of government between the central government and the constituent units, as in the national government and the states.  **19.** The plan that called for a one house legislative branch with each stat being equally represented  **20.** The plan that called for the legislative branch of the central government to be made up of two houses with the representation for the states base on theit polulation  **21.** The Massachusetts farmers' uprising that made it clear to many that the central government was too weak to protect states from popular unrest.  **22.** against the constitution and favored states having more power than the central government | **Down**  **1.** decided how slaves would be counted for states' population  **2.** The branch of government that is a system of courts set up to interpret the law.  **3.** The meeting of delegates in which the Articles of Confederation were scrapped in favor of a new United states constitution.  **5.** The united states' first written plan for government.  **6.** framer of the constitution from Pennsylvania who believed common people were the cornerstone of the democratic process  **7.** president of the constitutional convention  **8.** supported the constitution and favored a strong central, or national, government  **9.** The branch of government that make laws  **11.** The branch of government that enforces the laws  **12.** The idea that each breanch of the government has specific ways to limit the power of the other branches  **15.** framer of the Constitution from Connecticut who believed common people could not be an integral part of the government decision making |