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| **Across****3.** After the Japanese bombed Pearl Harbor, he urged Congress to declare war on Japan**5.** He wanted an all-powerful German Empire, believed in Aryan supremacy, and blamed the Jewish people for the loss of WWI**8.** Two Japanese cities where the U.S. dropped atomic bombs ending WWII**10.** The tyrannical dictator of the Soviet Union (USSR) who first supported the Axis Powers**11.** An economic condition when money loses its value and prices rise**12.** May 8, 1945; victory in Europe Day when the Germans surrendered**13.** A government in which all economic and social activity is controlled by totalitarian leaders and one powerful political party**14.** What is the word for a leader who rules with total authority in a cruel or brutal manner?**15.** 1942 World War II battle between the United States and Japan, a turning point in the war in the PacificBattle of Midway**16.** August – October 1940: Germans bombed British shipyards, industries, & cities, destroying entire neighborhoods, killing many civilians**18.** Hatred, hostility, and discrimination toward and against Jews**19.** After Roosevelt’s sudden death, he became President and the decision to drop the atomic bomb on Japan fell to him.**20.** Hitler’s “Final Solution.” Genocide\* (systematic killing) of European Jews and others | **Down****1.** A political system in which the government has total control over the lives of individual citizens.**2.** Site of Japanese surprise attack on December 7, 1941**4.** The perpetrators used these sites for a range of purposes, including forced labor, detention of people thought to be enemies of the state, and for mass murder.**6.** A political philosophy in which total power is given to a dictator and individual freedoms are denied**7.** He was military general and Prime Minister of Japan from 1941 – 1944**9.** Accepting demands in order to avoid conflicts**17.** What was Hitlers fascist party called? |