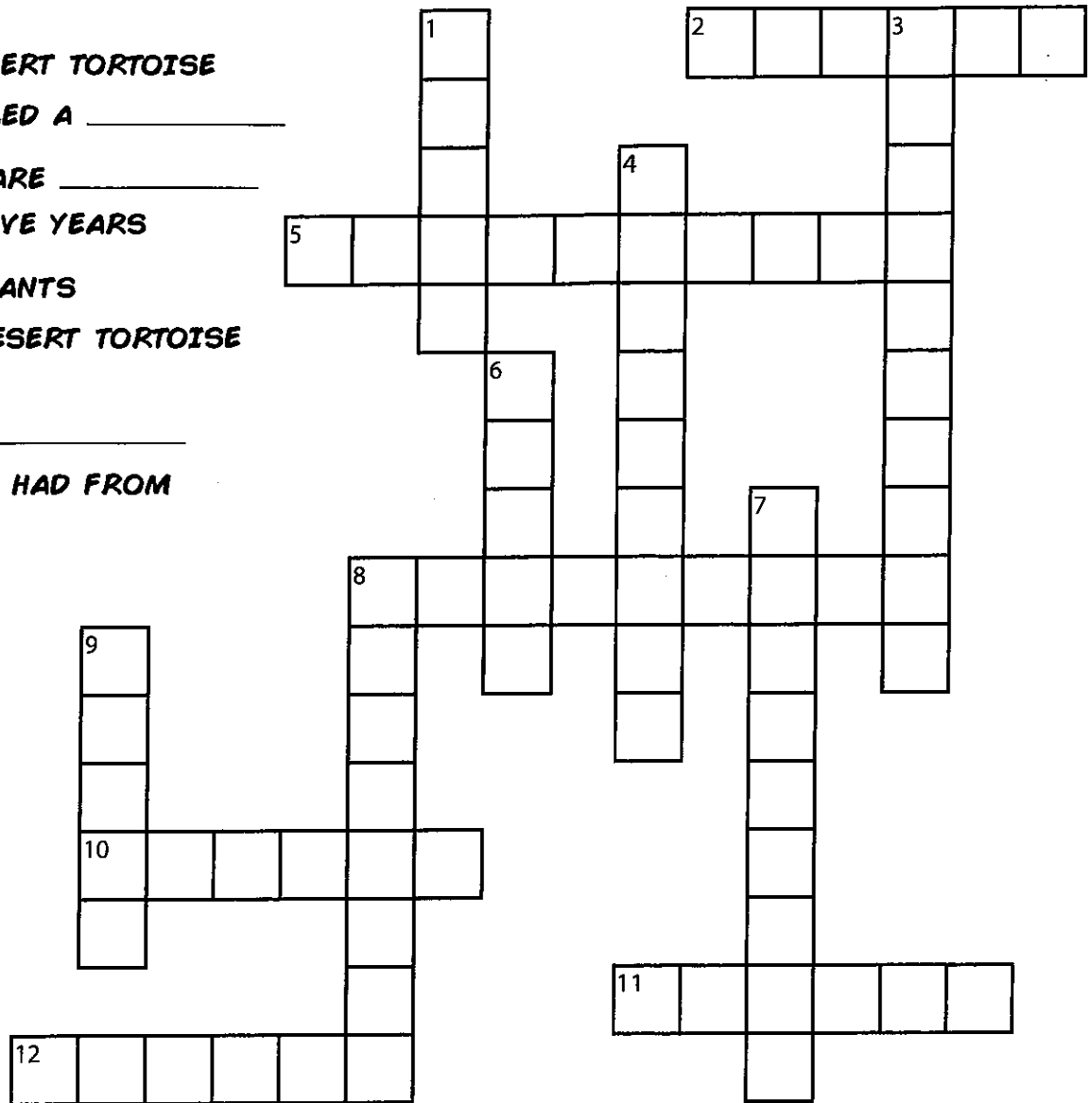


**ACROSS**

- 2. A SET OF DESERT TORTOISE EGGS IS CALLED A \_\_\_\_\_
- 5. HATCHLINGS ARE \_\_\_\_\_ FOR UP TO FIVE YEARS
- 8. ONLY EATS PLANTS
- 10. A COMMON DESERT TORTOISE PREDATOR
- 11. STAY ON THE \_\_\_\_\_
- 12. WATER CAN BE HAD FROM EATING THESE



**DOWN**

- 1. A TORTOISE USES ITS \_\_\_\_\_ TO DIG
- 3. DESERT TORTOISES ARE FEDERALLY PROTECTED BECAUSE THEY ARE A \_\_\_\_\_ SPECIES
- 4. WHAT DESERT TORTOISES ENTER INTO DURING THE WINTER MONTHS
- 6. DESERT TORTOISES CAN LIVE 50 OR MORE \_\_\_\_\_
- 7. A FAMOUS DESERT TORTOISE LIVING IN NEVADA
- 8. DESERT TORTOISES CAN LIVE IN MANY DIFFERENT \_\_\_\_\_
- 9. WHEN YOU SEE A DESERT TORTOISE IN THE WILD, DON'T \_\_\_\_\_ IT

