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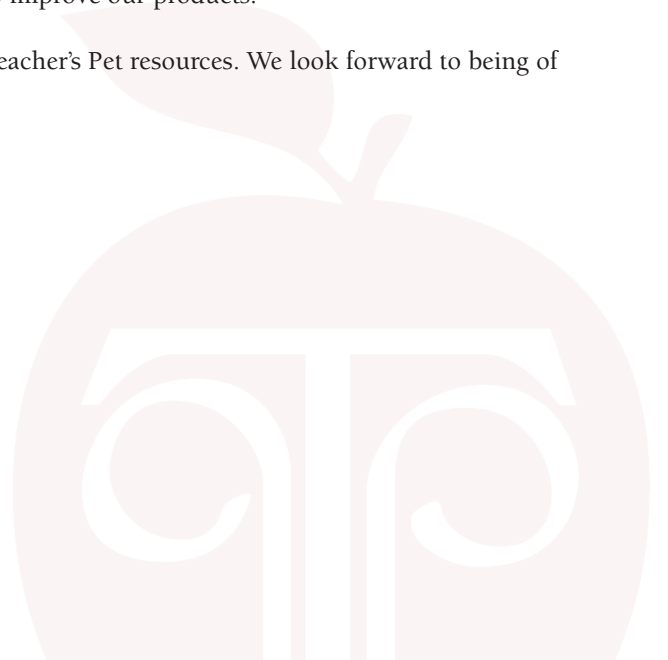
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Black Boy Unit Word List

No. Word	Clue/Definition
1. ADDIE	Granny's ally; Richard's teacher
2. ALLY	Aunt Addie was Granny's _____
3. ANGEL	If Richard had seen an _____ like Jacob had, he would have believed, too
4. AUNT	Addie or Maggie to Richard
5. BAPTIZED	Richard agreed to be _____ into the church to please his mother
6. BESS	Willing to marry Richard
7. CLARK	Takes Richard to live in Greenwood
8. COUNT	The coal man taught Richard to _____
9. CRANE	Good-hearted white employer at optical company
10. CURTAINS	Little Richard set these on fire
11. DEATH	'The penalty of _____ awaited me if I make a false move...'
12. DIED	A boy had _____ in Richard's bed at Uncle Clark's house
13. ELEVATOR	Shorty operated one
14. ELLA	Richard's mother
15. FALK	Helped Richard get library books
16. GRANDPA	A Civil War veteran
17. GRANNY	Strict Seventh-Day Adventist with whom Richard often lives
18. GREENWOOD	Uncle Clark & Aunt Jody lived there
19. GRIGGS	Richard's classmate who gives him advice
20. HARRISON	Agrees to fight Richard for money
21. HELENA	Wrights had to move from West _____
22. INSURANCE	Brother Manse's work
23. JUDGE	Ruled in Richard's father's favor in court
24. KITTEN	Richard hanged it to get back at his father
25. KNIFE	Richard defended himself against Aunt Addie with one
26. MAGGIE	Richard's favorite aunt
27. MARRY	Mrs. Moss wanted Bess to _____ Richard
28. MEMPHIS	Home town of Mrs. Moss and Bess
29. MENCKEN	Author/editor who intrigued Richard
30. MONEY	Richard took part in a scheme that skimmed _____ from ticket sales
31. MOSS	Landlady in Memphis
32. NATHANIEL	Richard's father
33. NEWSPAPERS	Richard sold 'anti-Negro' _____
34. NORTH	'It symbolized to me all I had not felt and seen....'
35. OLIN	Set up fight between Richard and Harrison
36. ORPHAN	Richard had to go to an _____'s home when his mother became ill
37. PRETEND	Richard and Harrison agreed to _____ to fight
38. RAZORS	Richard threatened to cut Uncle Tom with _____
39. REYNOLDS	Threatened Richard & forced him to leave his good job
40. RICHARD	Black boy is about him
41. SALOON	Place where Richard passed time at age 6
42. SELL	Richard tried to _____ Bessie
43. SHORTY	Elevator operator
44. SHOT	White men _____ Uncle Hoskins
45. SIMON	Head of the orphanage
46. SINFUL	Granny thought story books were _____
47. SOLDIERS	Richard saw these & prisoners when returning to Granny's
48. SPEECH	Richard refused to deliver the prewritten graduation _____
49. SYMBOL	'My mother's suffering grew into a _____ in my mind....'
50. THINK	Advice Griggs gave Richard

Black Boy Matching 1

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| ___ 1. CLARK | A. Richard sold 'anti-Negro' _____ |
| ___ 2. REYNOLDS | B. Richard took part in a scheme that skimmed _____ from ticket sales |
| ___ 3. HELENA | C. Agrees to fight Richard for money |
| ___ 4. TOWEL | D. Uncle Clark & Aunt Jody lived there |
| ___ 5. NEWSPAPERS | E. Shorty operated one |
| ___ 6. SINFUL | F. Author's last name |
| ___ 7. KITTEN | G. Author/editor who intrigued Richard |
| ___ 8. NATHANIEL | H. Richard threatened to cut Uncle Tom with _____ |
| ___ 9. HARRISON | I. Richard defended himself against Aunt Addie with one |
| ___ 10. CURTAINS | J. Home town of Mrs. Moss and Bess |
| ___ 11. MOSS | K. Richard's father |
| ___ 12. CRANE | L. Landlady in Memphis |
| ___ 13. MEMPHIS | M. Wrights had to move from West _____ |
| ___ 14. MONEY | N. Little Richard set these on fire |
| ___ 15. SOLDIERS | O. Granny hit Richard with one when he told her to 'kiss back there' |
| ___ 16. OLIN | P. Takes Richard to live in Greenwood |
| ___ 17. GRANDPA | Q. Willing to marry Richard |
| ___ 18. KNIFE | R. Richard saw these & prisoners when returning to Granny's |
| ___ 19. MENCKEN | S. Good-hearted white employer at optical company |
| ___ 20. ELEVATOR | T. Granny thought story books were _____ |
| ___ 21. RAZORS | U. Set up fight between Richard and Harrison |
| ___ 22. BESS | V. A Civil War veteran |
| ___ 23. WRIGHT | W. Ruled in Richard's father's favor in court |
| ___ 24. GREENWOOD | X. Threatened Richard & forced him to leave his good job |
| ___ 25. JUDGE | Y. Richard hanged it to get back at his father |

Black Boy Magic Squares 1

Match the definition with the vocabulary word. Put your answers in the magic squares below. When your answers are correct, all columns and rows will add to the same number.

- A. PRETEND
- B. CURTAINS
- C. MONEY
- D. SPEECH
- E. GRANDPA
- F. NORTH

- G. SELL
- H. NATHANIEL
- I. CRANE
- J. NEWSPAPERS
- K. REYNOLDS
- L. THOMAS

- M. ORPHAN
- N. HARRISON
- O. GREENWOOD
- P. ELEVATOR

1. Richard had to go to an ____'s home when his mother became ill
2. 'It symbolized to me all I had not felt and seen....'
3. Richard's father
4. Uncle Clark & Aunt Jody lived there
5. Richard threatened him with razors
6. Richard took part in a scheme that skimmed ____ from ticket sales
7. Richard and Harrison agreed to ____ to fight
8. Richard sold 'anti-Negro' ____
9. Threatened Richard & forced him to leave his good job
10. Richard refused to deliver the prewritten graduation ____
11. Little Richard set these on fire
12. Good-hearted white employer at optical company
13. Agrees to fight Richard for money
14. A Civil War veteran
15. Richard tried to ____ Bessie
16. Shorty operated one

A=	B=	C=	D=
E=	F=	G=	H=
I=	J=	K=	L=
M=	N=	O=	P=

Black Boy Word Search 1

O	V	K	X	C	C	W	H	C	E	E	P	S	R	C	A	D	G
C	L	G	K	L	R	H	E	A	G	Z	R	R	W	X	D	E	V
W	C	I	D	A	T	T	L	D	R	G	H	I	E	R	D	A	V
S	R	S	N	R	K	E	E	M	A	R	R	Y	C	T	I	T	L
O	H	I	O	K	L	I	N	M	N	I	I	K	S	H	E	H	Z
L	L	N	G	L	D	G	A	B	N	G	E	S	V	I	A	N	D
D	E	F	A	H	V	G	H	L	Y	G	M	C	O	A	M	R	D
I	I	U	G	V	T	A	F	J	D	S	O	D	C	N	E	O	D
E	N	L	S	R	O	M	Y	U	V	U	Z	S	U	G	M	G	N
R	A	S	S	E	L	O	J	R	N	C	B	T	R	E	P	S	T
S	H	M	U	Y	L	Q	D	T	A	T	K	E	T	L	H	T	P
L	T	Z	A	R	M	L	Z	O	S	Z	Y	T	A	K	I	A	F
K	A	U	N	N	A	B	D	W	O	N	O	B	I	P	S	L	S
K	N	I	H	T	M	N	O	E	O	H	Y	R	N	S	K	L	Q
T	K	I	T	T	E	N	C	L	S	B	E	S	S	L	N	Y	W
N	D	Y	F	K	Y	M	D	E	R	R	P	O	A	D	K	W	Q
C	R	A	N	E	B	S	N	H	Y	K	M	F	M	O	N	E	Y
P	Q	T	R	D	S	P	W	Q	B	J	R	T	Y	H	Y	X	Z

'It symbolized to me all I had not felt and seen....' (5)

'My mother's suffering grew into a ____ in my mind....' (6)

'The ____ of Hell's Half-Acre' (6)

'The penalty of ____ awaited me if I make a false move...' (5)

A boy had ____ in Richard's bed at Uncle Clark's house (4)

Addie or Maggie to Richard (4)

Advice Griggs gave Richard (5)

Agrees to fight Richard for money (8)

Aunt Addie was Granny's ____ (4)

Author's last name (6)

Black boy is about him (7)

Brother Manse's work (9)

Good-hearted white employer at optical company (5)

Granny hit Richard with one when he told her to 'kiss back there' (5)

Granny thought story books were ____ (6)

Granny's ally; Richard's teacher (5)

Head of the orphanage (5)

Helped Richard get library books (4)

Home town of Mrs. Moss and Bess (7)

If Richard had seen an ____ like Jacob had, he would have believed, too (5)

Landlady in Memphis (4)

Little Richard set these on fire (8)

Mrs. Moss wanted Bess to ____ Richard (5)

Richard and Harrison agreed to ____ to fight (7)

Richard defended himself against Aunt Addie with one (5)

Richard hanged it to get back at his father (6)

Richard refused to deliver the prewritten graduation ____ (6)

Richard saw these & prisoners when returning to Granny's (8)

Richard threatened to cut Uncle Tom with ____ (6)

Richard took part in a scheme that skimmed ____ from ticket sales (5)

Richard tried to ____ Bessie (4)

Richard's classmate who gives him advice (6)

Richard's father (9)

Richard's favorite aunt (6)

Richard's mother (4)

Ruled in Richard's father's favor in court (5)

Set up fight between Richard and Harrison (4)

Strict Seventh-Day Adventist with whom Richard often lives (6)

Takes Richard to live in Greenwood (5)

The coal man taught Richard to ____ (5)

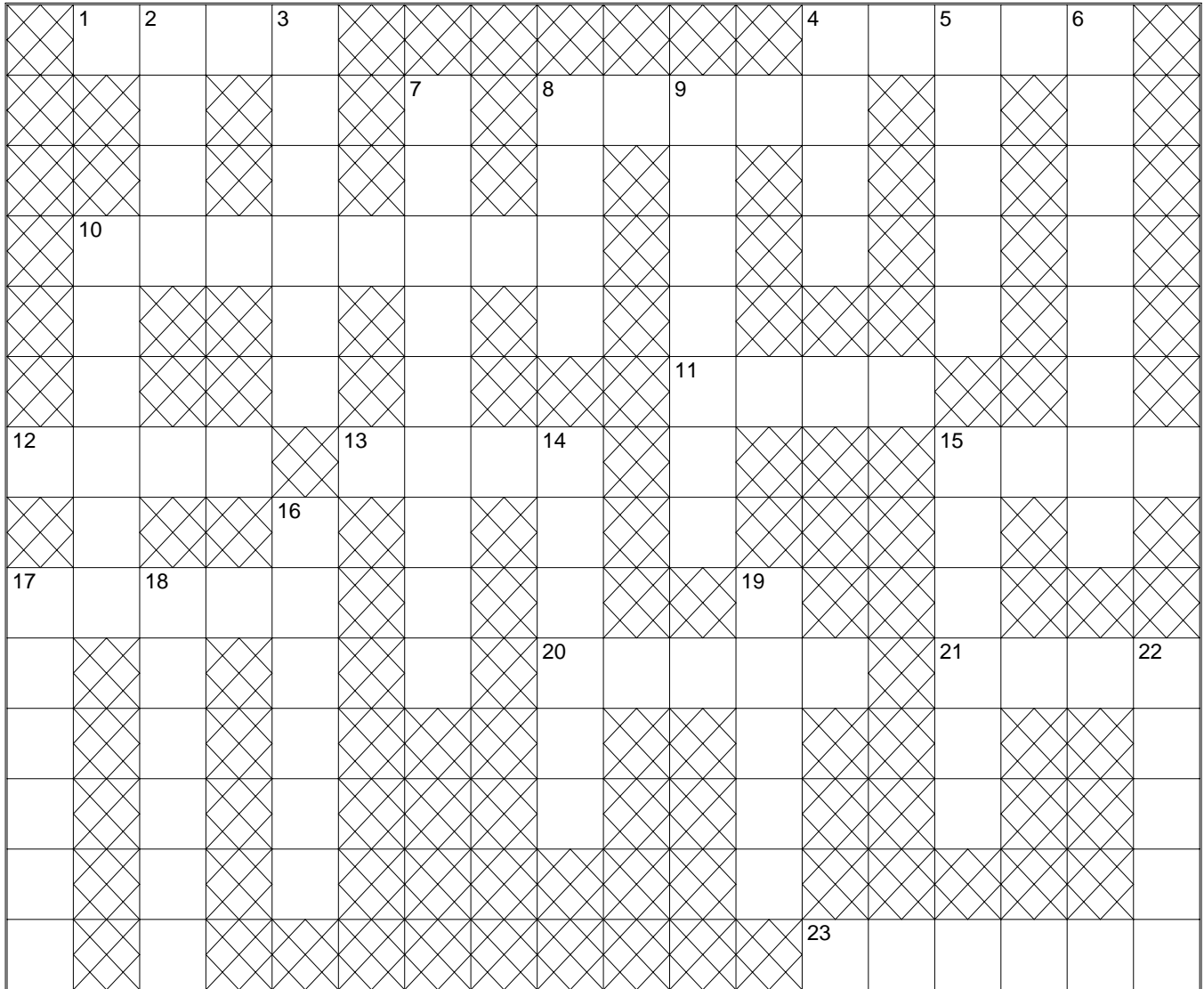
Threatened Richard & forced him to leave his good job (8)

White men ____ Uncle Hoskins (4)

Willing to marry Richard (4)

Wrights had to move from West ____ (6)

Black Boy Crossword 1



Across

- 1. Willing to marry Richard
- 4. Granny's ally; Richard's teacher
- 8. If Richard had seen an ____ like Jacob had, he would have believed, too
- 10. Agrees to fight Richard for money
- 11. A boy had ____ in Richard's bed at Uncle Clark's house
- 12. Richard tried to ____ Bessie
- 13. Helped Richard get library books
- 15. White men ____ Uncle Hoskins
- 17. Mrs. Moss wanted Bess to ____ Richard
- 20. Advice Griggs gave Richard
- 21. Set up fight between Richard and Harrison
- 23. Richard refused to deliver the prewritten graduation ____

Down

- 2. Richard's mother
- 3. Elevator operator

- 4. Aunt Addie was Granny's ____
- 5. 'The penalty of ____ awaited me if I make a false move...'
- 6. Shorty operated one
- 7. Brother Manse's work
- 8. Addie or Maggie to Richard
- 9. A Civil War veteran
- 10. Wrights had to move from West ____
- 14. Richard hanged it to get back at his father
- 15. Place where Richard passed time at age 6
- 16. 'My mother's suffering grew into a ____ in my mind....'
- 17. Richard's favorite aunt
- 18. Richard threatened to cut Uncle Tom with ____
- 19. Richard defended himself against Aunt Addie with one
- 22. 'It symbolized to me all I had not felt and seen....'

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CRANE	DIED	ELLA	TOWEL	MOSS
CURTAINS	INSURANCE	ELEVATOR	DEATH	REYNOLDS
GREENWOOD	SPEECH	FREE SPACE	RICHARD	HELENA
SHOT	GRIGGS	OLIN	COUNT	VOODOO
HARRISON	SELL	SHORTY	NATHANIEL	ANGEL

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THINK	THOMAS	PRETEND	MEMPHIS	JUDGE
KITTEN	NORTH	BESS	ALLY	WRIGHT
MARRY	BAPTIZED	FREE SPACE	ORPHAN	SOLDIERS
FALK	CLARK	GRANDPA	ADDIE	MONEY
GRANNY	SYMBOL	NEWSPAPERS	MAGGIE	AUNT