**Black History Month Crossword**

Complete the crossword puzzle by using the clues below to fill in the last name of each person. Check with library staff for the answers.

### Across

2] Dedicated to treating and curing blindness, she was the first Black female doctor who was awarded a medical patent.
7] This renowned author wrote *Beloved* and won the Nobel Prize in Literature in 1993.
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### Down

1] She founded Poro, the first global Black beauty and hair-care brand, started her own cosmetology school, and became a millionaire.
2] She is the most decorated female gymnast in America.
3] She was the first African American to win a Pulitzer Prize for her poetry book, *Annie Allen*.
4] This mathematician did the orbital calculations that NASA needed to launch their first crewed space flights.
5] This jazz singer was born in Milwaukee and won seven Grammy Awards.
6] This poet, author, and activist penned the influential phrase "The Master's Tools Will Never Dismantle the Master's House".
9] He was the author of *Roots: The Saga of an American Family* and the co-author of *The Autobiography of Malcom X*.

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