

<u>Across</u>

- 2. Bans discrimination in the extension of credit on the basis of race, color, age, sex, marital status, and other factors (abbreviation).
- 3. A reporting agency that assembles credit and other information about consumers.
- 4. A valuable asset that is pledged to ensure loan payments.
- 7. The use of credit for personal needs (except a home mortgage).
- 9. A prearranged loan from a bank for a specified amount; also called a bank line of credit.
- 10. The borrower's financial ability to meet credit obligations.
- An arrangement to receive cash, goods, or services now and pay for them in the future.
 The borrower's assets, or net worth.
- A line of credit in which loans are made on a continuous basis and the borrower is billed periodically for at least partial payment
- periodically for at least partial payment. 15. A periodic charge for the use of credit.

Down

- 1. Sets procedures for promptly correcting billing mistakes, refusing to make credit card payments on defective goods, and promptly crediting payments (abbreviation).
- One-time loans that the borrower pays back in a specified period of time and in payments of equal amounts.
- The borrower's attitude toward his or her credit obligations.
- A loan based on the current market value of a home less the amount still owed on the mortgage.
- The dollar amount, which may or may not be borrowed, that a lender makes available to a borrower.
- 8. Electronically subtracts the amount of a purchase from the buyer's account at the moment the purchase is made.
- The general economic conditions that can affect a borrower's ability to repay a loan.