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Across

1. Italian physicist after whom the volt is named; studied electric currents and invented the voltaic pile (1745-1827)
4. United States composer noted for his innovative use of polytonality (1874-1954)
6. a small piece of cloth or paper
7. a Bantu language spoken in southern coastal Tanzania
9. water chestnut whose spiny fruit has two rather than 4 prongs
10. a genus of fern sometimes placed in its own family Azollaceae
13. an ancient Greek city famous for military prowess; the dominant city of the Peloponnesus prior to the 4th century BC

Down

1. "a healthy capacity for vigorous activity; ""jogging works off my excess energy""; ""he seemed full of vim and vigor""
2. a statement that deviates from or perverts the truth
3. Palestinian statesman who was chairman of the Palestine Liberation Organization (1929-2004)
4. an Eskimo hut; usually built of blocks (of sod or snow) in the shape of a dome
5. the 18th letter of the Greek alphabet
8. an instrument with a handle and a flexible lash that is used for whipping
11. United States filmmaker whose works include the first full-length feature film with sound

15. an agency of the Intelligence Community that conducts advanced research and development related to information technology
16. a virtually extinct Caucasian language spoken exclusively in Turkey
19. counting the number of white and red blood cells and the number of platelets in 1 cubic millimeter of blood
20. a traditional story accepted as history; serves to explain the world view of a people
21. a member of a North American Indian people of southeastern California and northwestern Mexico

sequences (1902-1979)
12. North American songbirds having a yellow breast
13. a moving crowd
14. a roll of hair brushed back from the forehead
17. edible tuber of any of several yams
18. an Islamic fundamentalist group in Pakistan that fought the Soviet Union in Afghanistan in the 1980s; now operates as a terrorist organization primarily in Kashmir and seeks Kashmir's accession by Pakistan