

**1** Match the following words to the correct categories.

arson community service death penalty defence  
fine judge jury kidnapping lawyer mugging  
murder pickpocketing prison sentence prosecution  
rape six-month ban smuggling vandalism testify  
witness

**Crimes**

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**In court**

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

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**Punishments**

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**2** Complete the gaps with the correct words formed from the ones given.

- 1 There has been a \_\_\_\_\_ (TERROR) attack at the airport.
- 2 \_\_\_\_\_ (HOME) is a growing problem due to the economic crisis.
- 3 Racial \_\_\_\_\_ (DISCRIMINATE) is illegal in this country.
- 4 They were accused of armed \_\_\_\_\_ (ROB).
- 5 She was found guilty of \_\_\_\_\_ (SHOP).
- 6 The \_\_\_\_\_ (THIEF) took place during the night.
- 7 There has been a \_\_\_\_\_ (BURGLE) in the office.
- 8 How can there be so much \_\_\_\_\_ (POOR) in such a rich country?
- 9 We found your \_\_\_\_\_ (FINGER) on the weapon.
- 10 The judge told the \_\_\_\_\_ (DEFEND) to stand up.
- 11 He gave him life \_\_\_\_\_ (PRISON).
- 12 I'm against capital \_\_\_\_\_ (PUNISH).

**3** Complete each gap with a verb in an appropriate form.

- 1 Kenya \_\_\_\_\_ independence from the UK in 1963.
- 2 The bank is going to \_\_\_\_\_ £1 million in the company.
- 3 Only Mr Holmes can \_\_\_\_\_ this mystery.
- 4 If you \_\_\_\_\_ the law, you get punished.
- 5 I have never \_\_\_\_\_ a crime in my life.
- 6 The police \_\_\_\_\_ him for selling drugs.
- 7 She \_\_\_\_\_ me of stealing her phone.
- 8 They \_\_\_\_\_ him to 15 years in jail.
- 9 He will be \_\_\_\_\_ from prison next week.
- 10 Somebody \_\_\_\_\_ into her house and stole her jewels.

**4** Complete the text using appropriate words given in the boxes. In each box there is one extra word that you do not need to use.

**POLITICS**

**The rise of Stephen Johnson**

civil diplomatic local Mayor member  
political politician town hall

Stephen Johnson joined the <sup>1</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ party before he left school. Both his parents were <sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ servants, but he wanted to be a <sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_. After two years as a party <sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_, he stood as a candidate in the <sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ elections. He won and became a town councillor. He spent four years in the <sup>6</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ before becoming <sup>7</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ of his town.

the Cabinet general leader majority  
minister minority MP opinion polls prime

Stephen, however, wanted to get involved in national politics so he stood in the <sup>8</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ election and became an <sup>9</sup> \_\_\_\_\_. He worked hard and five years later, the <sup>10</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ minister made him a member of <sup>11</sup> \_\_\_\_\_. Over the next three years he was regularly chosen in <sup>12</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ as the most popular government <sup>13</sup> \_\_\_\_\_. So it was no surprise when he was elected <sup>14</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ of his party. In the next election, he won a large <sup>15</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ in parliament and formed a government.

constitutional monarchy govern head of state  
human rights political system president  
referendum won

Stephen didn't think the King should be the <sup>16</sup> \_\_\_\_\_; he thought his country should be a republic and not a <sup>17</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ so he called a <sup>18</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ to change the constitution. The opposition parties united in favour of the royal family but Stephen's government <sup>19</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ the vote. He became the first <sup>20</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ of his country and worked tirelessly in favour of <sup>21</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ around the world. He knew the <sup>22</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ wasn't perfect but agreed with Winston Churchill who said, 'Democracy is the worst form of government, except all the others that have been tried.'