Slinky Interruptions
By Bird Lives

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The answer to the puzzle is something most students get.

## ACROSS

1 Star of 60 Down
4 Israeli novelist Aharon Appelfeld's initials
10 Comes to the plate
14 You may disagree, in textspeak
15 Genre where it's often a dark and stormy night
16 It's often found in geometry class
17 Where and when the income tax deadline was changed in a US territory
20 Tiny Toyota of the early 21st century
21 Take a cash offer from
22 Gl's grub
23 United's were friendly
25 Kind of collar (or park?)
27 Exceptionally good family tree

34 Land that's auld in Ireland
37 Lima beans were discovered here (duh)
38 Crazy Legs Hirsch of the Rams
39 They're essential for wearing most Covid masks
41 Zola heroine and Barrie dog
44 It's under a foot
45 Classify and bring together
47 Either way, it's before nove
49 Letters for Whatley on Seinfeld
50 Not an arrow I shot but
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54 Mexican botanist Mexía
55 It follows "farm to" or "motion to"
59 Letters before a nom de guerre

62 I'll be right there
66 High time for Gary Cooper
67 This wood is OK for building a light plane, but for fine woodworking $\qquad$
36 Become available, like a Netflix series
40 Chop $\qquad$
42 Delta hub
43 Ed Helms in The Hangover
46 $\qquad$ at the Disco!
48 Neighbor of MN
51 Keeps up the subscription
52 Song of Songs follower
53 Jets or Sharks
56 Uggs, or the chemist in London
57 Like dad jeans
58 Finished
59 Deadly Nile denizen
60 See 1 Across
61 First word of The Aeneid
63 Prozac, Lexapro, or Paxil in brief

64 Grad of RPI or MIT probably
65 Aquatic bird, not necessarily old
68 Queeg's org
69 QBs want them

