## The answer to the meta is next in the system

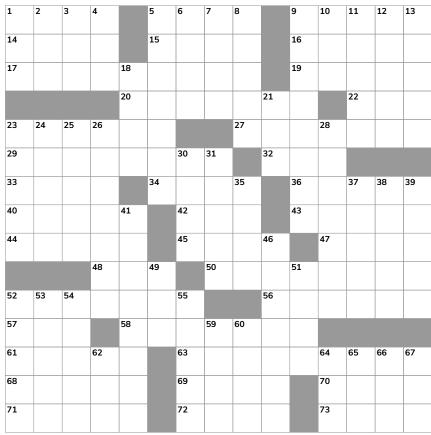
## **ACROSS**

- 1 \* Bed support
- **5** "No \_\_\_!" ("Piece of cake!")
- 9 \* "Pomp and Circumstance" composer
- **14** Yellowfin, for example
- 15 "Didn't expect to see you!"
- 16 Hot box
- 17 Opposite of plain language, at university
- 19 Pie nut
- 20 Rerson pesponsible for a clue like this?
- 22 Spanish hero, El
- 23 \* Price for a promo
- 27 \* Armless Greek statue
- 29 Lead singer of Queen
- 32 When repeated, an African spreader of sleeping sickness
- 33 "Game of Thrones" actress, \_\_\_ Chaplin
- **34** "Dark Angel" actress, Jessica
- 36 Goldman's partner
- 40 "Il sole tramonta a \_\_\_" ("The 42 across sets in the west")
- **42** Central object of the solar system
- 43 Currently airing
- **44** \* Business edge of a saw

- 45 Natural balm
- **47** \* "Un-break My Heart" singer, \_\_\_ Braxton
- 48 In media
- **50** South-of-the-border outlaws
- 52 "Dr. Zhivago" actor
- **56** Provides food for
- 57 Singer, \_\_\_ Lipa
- 58 "And we \_\_\_ in the Sydney to Hobart yacht race!"
- **61** Big name in printers
- 63 Aboriginal tools used to increase the velocity of projectiles
- **68** Name of two Chinese dynasties
- **69** "You beat me \_\_\_!" (I was going to say that!)
- **70** "Como \_\_\_\_?"
- 71 \* 9 down with milk
- 72 Dame known for her lilac-colored hair and cat eye glasses
- 73 \* Ran in the wash

## **DOWN**

- 1 Railway stop, for short
- 2 Starfleet's Jean-\_\_\_ Picard
- 3 Santa \_\_\_ winds
- 4 \* Topher Grace movie, "Win a date with \_\_\_ Hamilton!"
- 5 Julius Caesar's second or third wife



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- 6 Prefix meaning "current"
- 7 Very very
- 8 Parisian welcomes
- 9 \* Steam-brewed coffee
- 10 City on the north coast of Papua New Guinea
- 11 Ridley Scott movie, "House of \_\_\_"
- 12 "For want of \_\_\_ the shoe was lost"
- **13** Anonymous person, in slang
- 18 Cornerstone abbr.
- 21 Summer hrs. in NYC
- 23 "The game is \_\_\_!" (Sherlock's catch-phrase)
- 24 Took the wheel

- **25** Actress, \_\_\_ Zellweger
- 26 2019 Brad Pitt sci-fi film
- 28 Wasn't kidding
- **30** Anna's "Frozen" sister
- 31 Part of Fahrenheit's thermometer
- **35** Dwarf buffalo
- 37 \$100 bill
- 38 Pay tribute to
- 39 Multi-function army knife
- **41** \* Bruce Hornsby's band, back in the day
- 46 Microsoft product that lost out to Wikipedia
- 49 Knight's title

- **51** "Banana Boat Song" word
- 52 "Island of the Blue Dolphins" author, Scott \_\_\_\_
- 53 Brood pouches found in many Australian animals
- 54 Attacks vigorously
- 55 "Ein \_\_\_ Burg ist unser Gott"
- **59** Like two peas in
- **60** Diminish, as patience
- 62 Canadian prov.
- 64 \* Part of WWW
- **65** Subj. for immigrants, often
- 66 Way to go (abbr.)
- **67** Down in the dumps