This puzzle's contest answer is a character from *The Wizard of Oz*.

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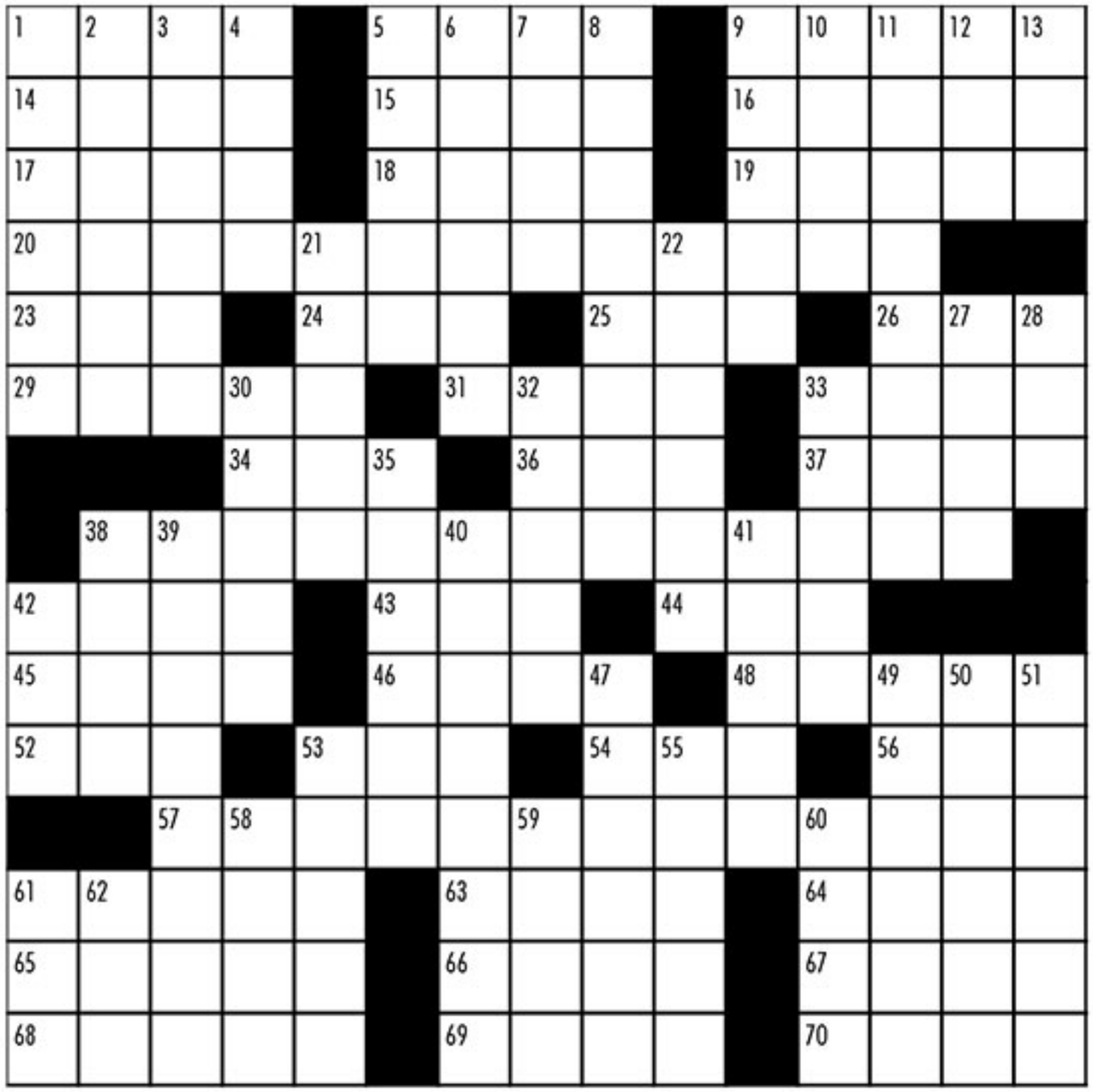

Across

1 Gregory of "To Kill a Mockingbird"
5 Skilled group
9 Took advantage of
14 Car bar
15 Start increasing
16 Japanese city
17 iPhone image
18 Its mascot is Joe Bruin
19 Woods who swings woods
20 He delivered the classic movie line "I'm walkin' here!"
23 Find a place for
24 ATM charge
25 "Just the Way You ——"
26 Approves
29 "Evita" name
31 Assistant who asks, "What can I help you with?"
33 Movie scene
34 D.C. type
36 Barrier for Serena Williams
37 Like unwashed hair
38 Benedict Cumberbatch's co-star
42 Big party
43 Lovely Lucy
44 Adams of beer
45 "Big Love" setting
46 Kendrick of "Up in the Air"
48 George with 1.15 million Twitter followers
52 "I'm awesome!"
53 Powerful card
54 "Platoon" setting, for short
56 Financial-services company
57 "Judging Amy" actress with roles in "Tilt" and "Prison Break"
61 Total phony
63 Course for immigrants: abbr.
64 Bullets
65 Griffin of "Dallas Buyers Club"
66 One-named Irish singer
67 Turn
68 Takes a breather
69 Tending to pry
70 Fashion magazine with a name that means "she"

Down

1 Settled
2 "I couldn't find a parking spot," say
3 2004 Natalie Portman movie
4 "Smallville" surname
5 Dried fruit
6 Great wealth
7 Home to the Munch Museum
8 Mariner
9 "No clue"
10 Home to most people
11 Cruise vehicle?
12 —— out a living
13 Folk singer Williams
21 "Otherwise ..."
22 Steak —— (bistro entrée)
27 It's hot for pots
28 Magazine from 1986–98
30 Chicago billionaire
32 As a joke
33 Printed pause
35 Purple flowers
38 Buddy, to Brits
39 Sarah Palin and such
40 Adele's debut album, written out
41 Words on the cake float in "Animal House"
42 He married Madonna
47 Bugs
49 Joking Jimmy
50 Tooth cover
51 Give the cold shoulder to
53 Helpers
55 Ease
58 Litter littlest
59 "The answer ——"
60 Own
61 Prez on the dime
62 One of the Golden Girls, in real life

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