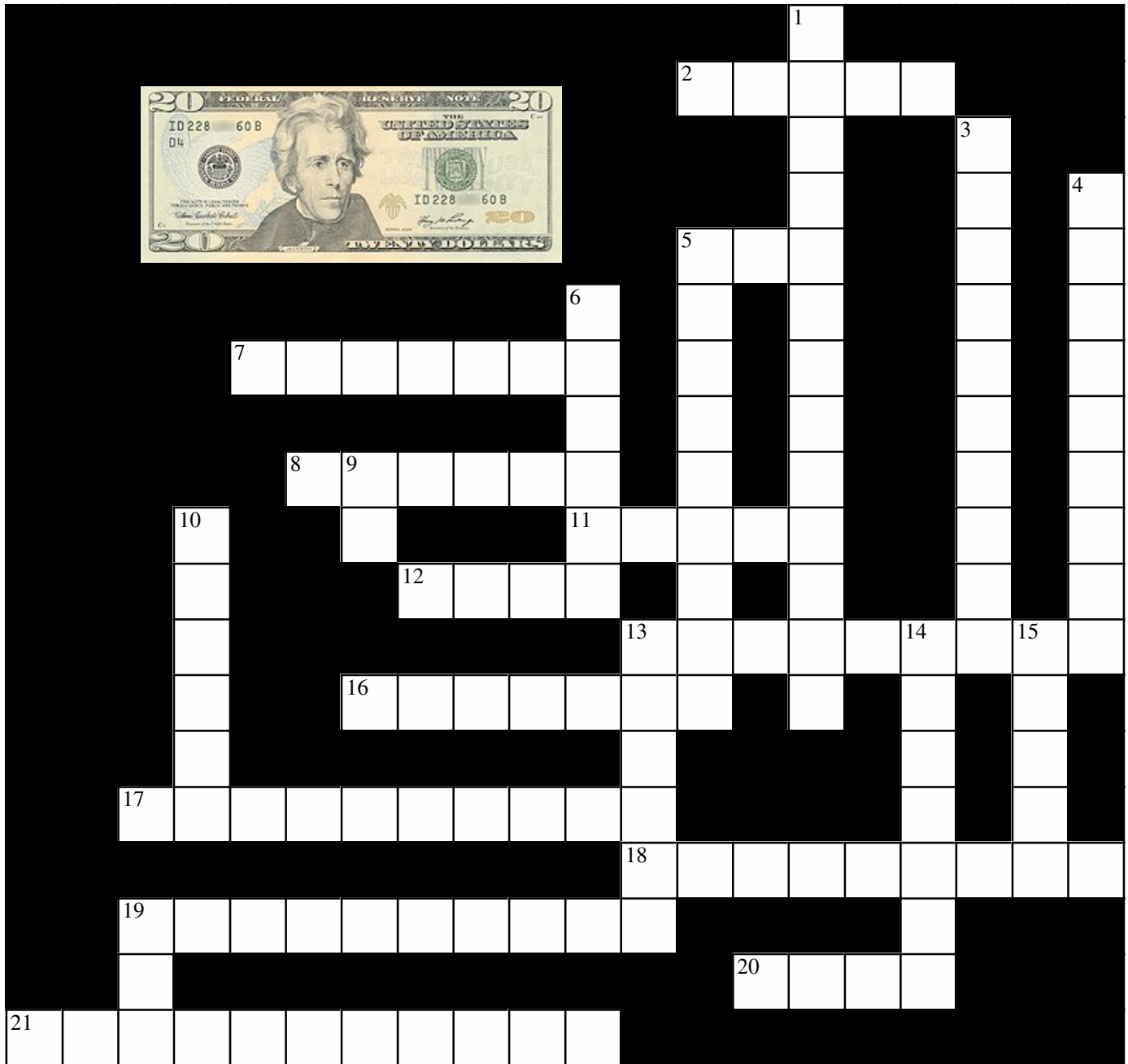


ABA BJ Puzzle of the Week: 7/30/10

Twenty Bucks: The Puzzle



You might say the \$20 bill is beyond ubiquitous. After all, it's the denomination you can get out of just about any ATM. It's the bill that makes you feel like you've got something, at least, in your wallet. The Bureau of Engraving and Printing says 22% of bills in circulation are \$20s, but it often seems like more.

This week's puzzle and clues are dedicated to facts about the \$20 bill and the personage it commemorates. Beware of puns, double meanings, and historical obscurities.

Fax completed puzzle, with name, bank, title, and e-mail, by 5 PM, August 4, to 212-633-1165, to participate in a drawing for a \$25 Amazon certificate. (Please allow three weeks for e-mailed delivery to the e-mail address provided.) Good luck! scocheo@sbpub.com

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2. How often you see a portrait of Andrew Jackson on the \$20 bill. (Ah, now do you see the light?)
5. Number of times "Federal Reserve" is mentioned on the \$20 bill.
7. Before becoming President, A.J. served as Military Governor of this state. You might say, in going to D.C., he jumped from the panhandle into the fire.
8. This Democratic symbol owes its origins, some say, to a related, but not very complimentary nickname that opponents hung on A.J. He liked it, adopted it, and it was picked up later by political cartoonists.
11. Number of wings seen on both sides of the \$20 bill.
12. How many times does "United States" appear on the \$20 bill?
13. A.J. came from this state.
16. White House, on back of \$20 bill, has 21 of these showing. (But you'll see right through this clue.)
17. A.J. was known as the last President to be a veteran of this significant war.
18. Federal official whose name and title can be found right beneath the legend, "This note is legal tender for all debts, public and private."
19. Wooden nickname for person of top billing on this bill.
20. Financially, Jackson opposed the Second _____ of the U.S., which James Madison had authorized for a 20-year period.
21. 1993 movie follows the travels of a single \$20 bill. Possibly inspired by O. Henry's short story, "The Tale of the Tainted Tenner."

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1. On the reverse of the \$20 bill, the numerals "20 appear" over and over in tiny tiny type. What is this process called?
3. Climactic battle of War of 1812 helped put \$20 bill's President in the White House.
4. A.J. died in this well-known city, of much note, in his home state. While a popular country song was written about his climactic military triumph, we're not sure it came from this city.
5. You can find five of these three-sided polygons on the face of the White House shown on the back of the \$20 bill.
6. While he couldn't spell, this President known for his military exploits taught himself this skill and profession and practiced it in rural communities for some time.
9. Popular legend has it that this affirmative abbreviation was coined by A.J. A notoriously bad speller, he was trying to shorten his poorly spelled version of "all correct."
10. Before A.J. served as President, he served in a legislative capacity in this senior body in Washington.
13. This numerically appropriate word appears five times on the \$20 bill, not counting the embedded security thread bearing the same word.
14. If you got change for a \$20, in two bills, you'd have two of these, and you could use them for carpentry.
15. This symbol of our country appears thrice on the \$20 bill.
19. Number of times "Federal Reserve Note" appears on the \$20 bill.