VOCABULARY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Across

- 4. The community greatly respected the judge because he is a man of _____.
- 5. Antonym for dim, dark
- 6. A chief butler or assistant
- 9. The _____ journalist missed another deadline for his article.
- 12. The _____ employee spent hours playing computer games instead of working.
- 14. Antonym for agreeable, obedient
- 15. To avoid heavy highway traffic, we took a longer, more _____ route.
- 16. Fresh paint on a rotting deck
- 17. A number of factors left us unable to defend his actions.
- 18. Dependent on chance or luck
- 19. The _____ smell spread from the kitchen to the rest of the house; you couldn't avoid it.

Down

- 1. A word that has the meaning of using an excessive number of words to say something
- 2. Relating to controversy or argument
- 3. A constant flatterer
- 4. A holiday bonus; a company car; extra days off
- 7. Antonym for stinginess
- 8. Is Tom too scared to go in the woods at night?
- 10. Synonym for saunter, wander
- 11. The conquering army will _____ the capital and destroy the monuments.
- 13. Indicated but not expressed; implied silently

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Answer Key

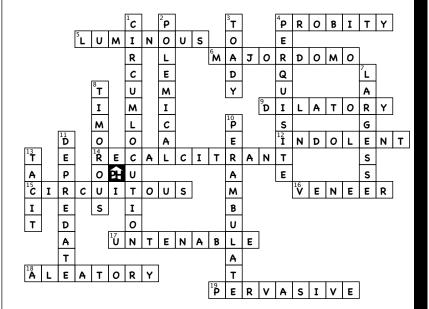
Across

- The community greatly respected the judge because he is a man __. [PROBITY]
- Antonym for dim, dark [LUMINOUS] 5.
- 6. A chief butler or assistant [MAJORDOMO]
- 9. journalist missed another deadline for his article. [DILATORY]
- __ employee spent hours playing computer games 12. instead of working. [INDOLENT]
- Antonym for agreeable, obedient [RECALCITRANT] 14.
- To avoid heavy highway traffic, we took a longer, more 15. _ route. [CIRCUITOUS]
- 16. Fresh paint on a rotting deck [VENEER]
- 17. A number of factors left us unable to defend his actions. [UNTENABLE]
- 18. Dependent on chance or luck [ALEATORY]
- The _____ smell spread from the kitchen to the rest of the house; you couldn't avoid it. [PERVASIVE]

Down

- 1. A word that has the meaning of using an excessive number of words to say something [CIRCUMLOCUTION]
- Relating to controversy or argument [POLEMICAL]
- 3. A constant flatterer [TOADY]
- 4. A holiday bonus; a company car; extra days off [PERQUISITE]
- Antonym for stinginess [LARGESSE] 7.
- Is Tom too scared to go in the woods at night? 8 [TIMOROUS]
- Synonym for saunter, wander [PERAMBULATE] 10.
- The conquering army will _ _ the capital and destroy the monuments. [DEPREDATE]
- Indicated but not expressed; implied silently [TACIT]

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