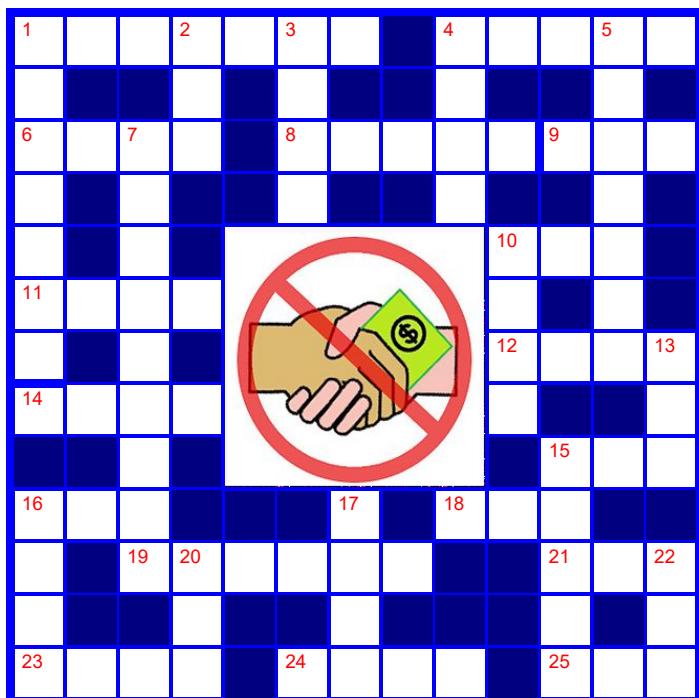


Dec-09: Words derived from the letters of CORRUPTION - On the eve of INTERNATIONAL ANTI-CORRUPTION DAY



Across

- 1 Someone who supervises (an examination). (7)
- 4 Something dealt with in a text or in discussion (5)
- 6 Complete devastation. (4)
- 8 Lime- or lemon-flavoured carbonated water containing quinine. (5)
- 9 A state of decay usually accompanied by an offensive odour. (3)
- 10 As well. (3)
- 11 Dark grey slow-flying birds resembling ducks. (4)

12 Indicates movement to inside. (4)

14 Separated into pieces by force. (4)

15 A hole in ground for mining. (3)

16 Press tightly between the fingers. (3)

18 Component of a computer in which data processing takes place. (3)

19 Relating to or situated in or characteristic of the region on either side of the equator. (6)

21 An indication of potential opportunity. (3)

23 An overwhelming defeat. (4)

24 Form of a word after all affixes are removed. (4)

25 Negation. (3)

Down

1 A roofed entrance to a house that is columned like a temple front. (7)

2 An argument opposed to a proposal. (3)

3 Preposition that indicates position. (4)

4 A set of three similar things considered as a unit. (4)

5 Settle or put right. (4,3)

7 Free of corruption or immorality. (9)

10 A journey (to and fro) for some purpose. (4)

13 Select as an alternative over another. (3)

15 To insert between other elements. (3,2)

16 A film featuring bleak settings and cynical characters. (4)

17 Someone new to a field or activity. (4)

20 Boring routine. (3)

22 Metal or earthenware cooking vessel. (3)