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Stolen Statue Mystery

Read the sentences below and fill in the blanks with descriptive adjectives that best fit the mystery theme.

The (1) **erie** (eerie, bright) mansion stood at the end of the deserted road, its windows gleaming in the moonlight. The air inside was (2) _____ (tangy, fresh), carrying a sense of mystery. The golden statue that once was there has gone missing. Detective Sherlock entered the (3) _____ (dusty, spotless) library, where books lay scattered on the shattered window. His (4) _____ (cunning, dull) mind quickly noticed the small clue that everyone else had missed. A (5) _____ (nervous, confident) witness described the suspect as wearing a torn coat and having piercing eyes. Was the suspect truly innocent, or was there more to the story?