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| **Across**  **3.** Regret  **6.** A city in Ireland.  **9.** A trick.  **14.** An explosive noise; bang.  **15.** Then he sank to the roof, dragging his \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ withhim.  **16.** Covered, wrapped.  **18.** Sudden attack.  **20.** Severe, stern  **21.** To speak rapidly and incoherently.  **23.** At irregular intervals.  **25.** Surrounded  **26.** In Northern Ireland, Catholics and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ have feared and resented each other for generations. | **Down**  **1.** Contrast between what is expected and what actually happens, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ irony.  **2.** The excitement or tension that readers feel as they get involved in a story and become eager to know the outcome.  **4.** To fall of balance.  **5.** The quality of being a unique person.  **7.** Where the woman's corpse lay.  **8.** Liam O'Flaherty lived here when he was a child.  **10.** A person who supports a cause or pursues an interest with extreme enthusiasm.  **11.** To become embedded or stuck.  **12.** Turned away in disgust.  **13.** The bullet had lodged in the \_\_\_\_\_\_.  **17.** A speech delivered at someone's funeral.  **19.** Bitter regret.  **22.** A low wall along the edge of a roof or balcony.  **24.** IRA, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Republican Army |