



**Across**

- 1 City of two halves? (5)
- 4 Worker manages to get hold of accessories (8)
- 8 Father accepted you were familiar with outspoken nation state (5,3,6)
- 10 Unwilling to put away train sets (9)
- 11 Vine starts to kill unusual dahlias, zinnias and us! (5)
- 12 Sailor gets posted away (6)
- 14 Orders partners around also (8)

- 17 Silly unicorn swallowed it at first, like some of Morissette's lyrics (8)
- 18 There's another heroine (6)
- 20 Someone mature read ultimate part (5)
- 22 Laird perhaps left a new disappointment (9)
- 24 Study any Durham novel for twenty-four hours in Holy Week (6,8)
- 25 God, he's getting horribly cruel (8)
- 26 Eastern Great Lake could be haunted (5)

**Down**

- 1 Note is written by great mystic (12)
- 2 Northerners articulated failure (5)
- 3 Busy stationer goes on the attack (5,4)
- 4 Harbours inner longing for wild animals (6)
- 5 Layer of darkness has to cause annoyance (8)
- 6 First signs of bright red mark on lip (5)
- 7 Shares language by turns (4,5)
- 9 Perhaps Dr Foster's garden centre reportedly has a touch of frost (7,5)

- 13 Kindle copy? About time! (9)
- 15 Debate direction taken by princess? (9)
- 16 A solidly devious subversive (8)
- 19 Takes all but the first moves slowly (6)
- 21 Cordial notice not to end supply (5)
- 23 Drain away to the lowest point (5)