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Focuses on the history and provides an understanding as it was experienced on the ground of the Great Irish Famine, particularly at the level of the rural poor.

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The book will appeal to the academic market, local and family historians on both sides of the Atlantic, and non-specialist casual readers interested in Irish studies.

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