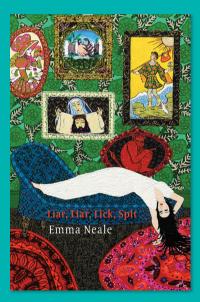


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displays an exceptional
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confessional anecdotes
into quicksilvery flashes
of insight. It's a book
about fibs and fables,
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perceived as tall stories,
and the knock-on effects
of distrust. Emma Neale
is a writer fantastically
sensitive to figurative
language and its
possibilities.