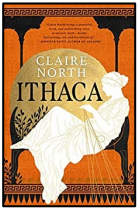


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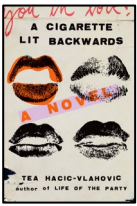
**Ithaca by Claire North- Redhook- 9780316422963- HC- \$35.00- Historical Fiction- 400 pp.- September 2022**

From the multi-award-winning author Claire North comes a daring reimagining that breathes life into ancient myth and gives voice to the women who stand defiant in a world ruled by ruthless men. It's time for the women of Ithaca to tell their tale.



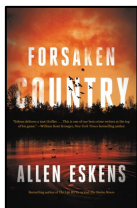
**Venomous Lumpsucker by Ned Beaman- Sceptre- 9781473613553- HC- \$32.99- Literary Fiction- 304 pp.- October 2022**

Gripping and singular, *Venomous Lumpsucker* is a comedy about environmental devastation that asks: do we have it in us to avert the tragedy of mass extinction? And also: do we really need to bother?



**A Cigarette Lit Backwards by Tea Hacic-Vlahovic- The Overlook Press- 9781419762895- HC- \$33.00- Literary Fiction- 240 pp.- September 2022**

Set in the punk-rock scene of the early 2000s and vibrating with the intense ache of bad choices and deep longing, a needle-sharp portrait of a young woman and how far she'll go to find acceptance.



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Three fathers collide far beyond the reach or safety of the law in this breathtaking thriller from the bestselling and beloved author of *The Stolen Hours* and *The Life We Bury*.



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Meredith Maggs hasn't left her house in 1,214 days. But she insists she isn't alone. But something's about to change. Whether Meredith likes it or not, the world is coming to her door. Does she have the courage to overcome what's been keeping her inside all this time?



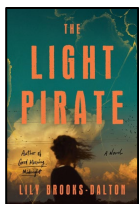
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Laura, a laundress, meets her young husband when they are both placed in service in Teignmouth in 1914. They have a baby, Charles, but his father returns home from the trenches a damaged man, already ill with the tuberculosis that will soon leave Laura a widow. As a new war looms, Charles signs up for the navy as a coder. His escape from the tight, gossipy confines of Launceston to a more colourful life in action sees him blossom, as he experiences the possibility of death, and the excitement - even terror - of a love that is as clandestine as his work.



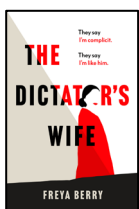
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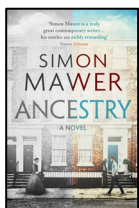
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For readers of *Station Eleven* and *Where the Crawdads Sing* comes a hopeful, sweeping story of survival and resilience spanning one extraordinary woman's lifetime as she navigates the uncertainty, brutality, and arresting beauty of a rapidly changing world.



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