

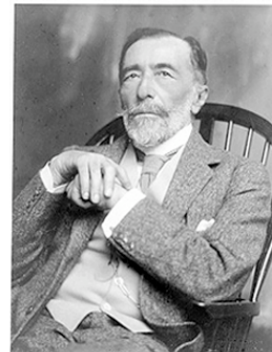
THE SECRET AGENT

## ***The Secret Agent***

by Joseph Conrad (1857-1924)

***The Secret Agent* is Conrad's dark, and darkly comic story of a band of spies, anarchists and agents-provocateurs plotting and counter-plotting in the back streets of London in the early 20th Century. The novel centers on Verloc, a shop-owner, phony-anarchist and double-agent, who becomes embroiled in an ambitious terrorist plan to bomb the Greenwich Observatory.**

***The Secret Agent* was the first recording done for LibriVox.**



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