



## The Secret City

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Capuchin Classics. 1 Paperback(s), 2012. soft. Book Condition: New. Sent out to pre-revolutionary Russia by the Foreign Office, Jerry Lawrence and Henry Bohun find themselves unlikely traveling companions, in this 1919 novel from the author of *The Wooden Horse* and *The Dark Forest*. Bohun, immaculately dressed, holds himself in high regard as a poet and feels the force of destiny to be a great man, while Lawrence appears to be a rough and ready character. Arriving in Petrograd, they are drawn into the complex relationships of the Markovitch family, with whom Bohun has taken lodgings. He finds his passions stirred by one of the Markovitch sisters a situation which seems destined to cause trouble when their uncle Semyonov, who has powerful political connections, turns up at Christmas. 308.



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