

White Trash of Shanghai

A noble Russian family escapes from Russia during the revolution there and goes to Shanghai, living by means of selling what jewelry they were able to retrieve from the revolution.

When the last of the family plate has been sold, the father strives to obtain work, and eventually succeeds in becoming a doorkeeper at a second-rate hotel. He is dressed as a door commissar with all the gold braid and medals, reminiscent of the past glories of Russia. His wife is a refined, gentle little woman. Delicate in health, allowing more or less