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I sin the t'other dahy as somebody ar another as ca's 'isself P.L., which I doesn't know no moer nar nothin' who a be, 'ave wrote a letter to 'ee, which 'e sez as a wishes as "Outis" 'ud 'a 'is "Monologues" printed in a book ar summat; an' of course I sez a dersahy as a thinks as a'd maake a fortin on it, which He knows as a 'ud n't. Why! 't 't'ud lie mah in a sight o' money, an' a' tell 'a what it be, a be desprit shart on it. A sez as waages is rose, but a an't rose 'is'n, nar thur bin't no likes on it, an' if's worn't as a' a n't rose the bread an' fittle, 'r summat, which a be desprit chip, a'd 'a a 'ord jaub to live. A 'ave a 'ord jaub to live, 'owver, money be deouced scace, 'an 'is waages des n't kip 'e in no shape 'ordly, an' of coorse 'e sez as 'e doan't want to trouble no parish, nor to 'a nothin' hoff no union, as a'd be suer to, ten to one, if a wuz to goo a printin' thahy. Which, bless yur 'eort, a yean't sah mombled in 'is yud as 'a thot. A knows what a con do; an' a knows what a be about, an' what a be ahter; an' a'd 'a to look two wahys fur Sun'ay, if a wuz to goo a printin' thahy. Sir, a've wrote these few lines baack to P.L., which in mah young dahys thur worn't no hedication as thur be now, nar no schools o'

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no account, nar books nar nothin'; an' He mines as a 'a n't wrote it sah plahin as the youngsters does now-a-dahys, nar lahid it down sah perfec'.

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