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Dear Sir,

I have come across about 20 letters, including unpublished verses, from E. V. Lucas to my cousin; most of the dates are around 1887/8. One with a snapshot enclosed is 1905.

As we both live in Croydon, I wonder if you could tell me if there is a book about E.V&L. being written; or else, if there is anybody interested in seeing the letters.

The verses on Alfred Austin's appointment as Poet Laureate is rather caustic.

Yours faithfully,