Dumb Insolence

by Adrian Mitchell

"I started to practise dumb insolence at an early age. It can be a devastating piece of sabotage. When I was conscripted into the RAF I found that among the many charges they can lay on you there is one called *Dumb Insolence*. So I revised my tactic to *Disguised Dumb Insolence*."

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