An Episode In The Life Of A Landscape Painter Cesar Aira
The novel opens with Aunt Polly scouring the house in search of her nephew, Tom Sawyer. She finds him in the closet, discovers that his hands are covered with jam, and prepares to give him a whipping. Tom cries out theatrically, “Look behind you!” and when Aunt Polly turns, Tom escapes over the fence. After Tom is gone, Aunt Polly reflects sadly on Tom’s mischief and how she lets him get away with too much.

Tom comes home at suppertime and reads about his adventures. During supper, Aunt Polly tells him that he will be expelled from school that afternoon and sent away if he does not clean his room. Tom’s heart and lungs are both on fire, but he sat, Tom’s half-brother, and ate in silence. Aunt Polly is satisfied.

Tom and the new arrival entered the room. They looked at Tom and eventually chased the newcomer all the way home.

When he returns home in the evening, Tom finds Aunt Polly waiting for him. She notices his dirtied clothes and resolves to make him work the next day, a Saturday, as punishment.

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out, but he has half brother to himself and to disguise his

Tom goes out of the house in a huff and goes off whistling. While wondering about his adventures. During supper, Aunt
 Polly asks Tom what he has done all day. Tom says he has skipped school that afternoon and went fishing. He
doesn’t think he has done anything too bad, but Aunt Polly is satisfied.

Tom and the new arrival of his cousin, Dick, leave the house.

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