Multiple Linear Regression

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In [5]:
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# conventional way to import pandas
import pandas as pd
# conventional way to import seaborn
import seaborn as sns
# conventional way to import numpy
import numpy as np

from sklearn import metrics
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

data = pd.read_csv("https://raw.github.com/vincentarelbundock/Rdatasets/master/csv/MAS

# create a Python list of feature names
feature_cols = ['lstat','age']

# use the list to select a subset of the original DataFrame
X = data[feature_cols].values

# select a Series from the DataFrame
y = data['medv'].values
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Viewing the data in seaborn to get a sense of it - MEDV Median value of owner-occupied homes in $1000's - LSTAT lower status of the population - AGE proportion of owner-occupied units built prior to 1940

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# visualize the relationship between the features and the response using scatterplots
#sns.pairplot(data, x_vars=['lstat','age'], y_vars='medv', size=7, aspect=0.7, kind='r
sns.pairplot(data, x_vars=['lstat','age'], y_vars='medv', size=7, aspect=0.7, kind='reg
plt.show()
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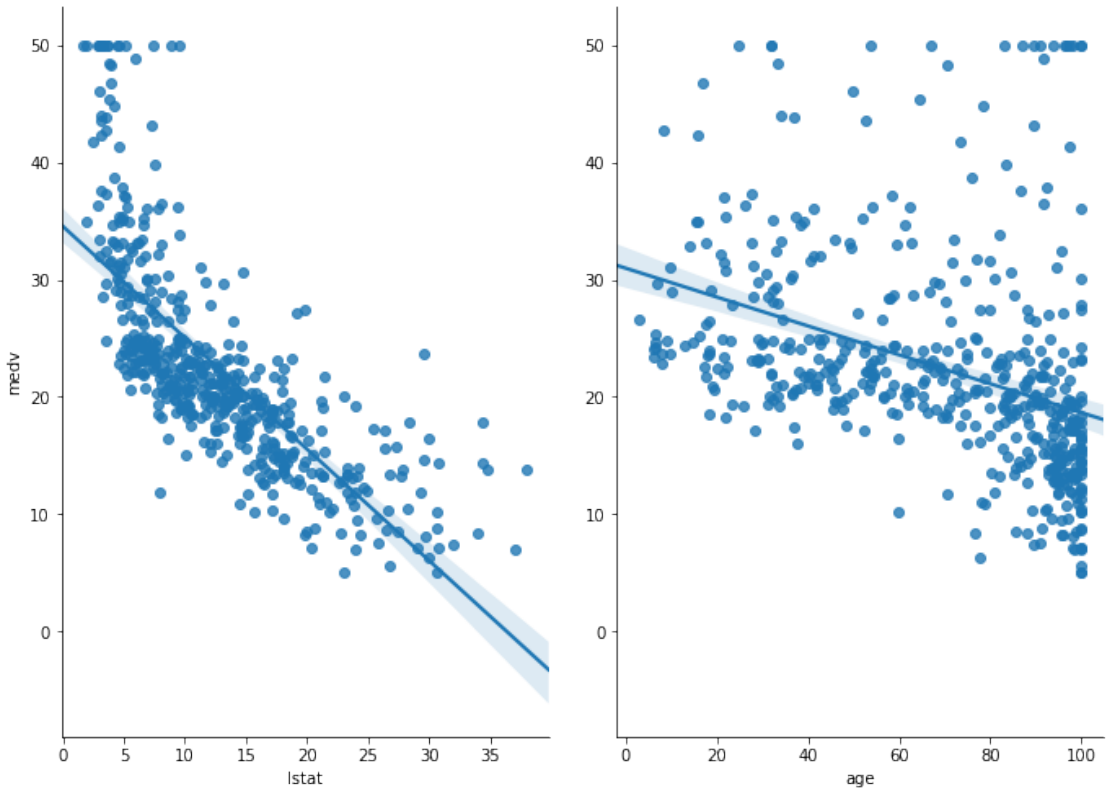

In [7]:
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# import model
from sklearn.linear_model import LinearRegression

# instantiate
linreg = LinearRegression()

# fit the model to the training data (learn the coefficients)
linreg.fit(X, y)

# print the intercept and coefficients
print('intercept: \n', linreg.intercept_)

# The coefficients
print('Coefficients: \n', # pair the feature names with the coefficients
list(zip(feature_cols, linreg.coef_)))

# make predictions on the testing set
y_pred = linreg.predict(X)

# calculate RMSE using scikit-learn
np.sqrt(metrics.mean_squared_error(y, y_pred))
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        # Explained variance score: 1 is perfect prediction
        print('Variance score: %.2f' % metrics.r2_score(y, y_pred))
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intercept:
 33.2227605318
Coefficients:
 [('lstat', -1.0320685641826013), ('age', 0.034544338571646085)]
Variance score: 0.55
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The obtained the predictions produced by linear regression. Look at the residuals, the difference between the real target set and the predicted target set:

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In [8]: pd.Series(y - y_pred).hist(bins=50)
        plt.show()
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