

THE POET'S CORNER.

The Old Plaid Shawl. Not far from old Kinvara, in the merry month of May, When the birds were singing cheerily, there came across my way...

FRANK A. FAHY.

BEATING A BUNCO.

An Amusing Incident Said to Have Transpired in Lincoln Park, Chicago. It is a curious feature in human nature that while a man will peril his life to assist a stranger who is being forcibly robbed, he will turn about and delight in seeing that same man taken in and done for by a "skin" game or a bunco man.

The Backward Boy.

J. B. ANGELL, PRESIDENT OF THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN. How shall we teach backward children? This is a question which sorely perplexes parents and teachers.

FOUL PLAY SUSPECTED.

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