

Occupy Limerick\$

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(I.)

There was an old firm called Goldman Sachs,
which couldn't agree to a Tobin Tax;
They friended Tim Geithner,
said Ponzi's "a nightmare",
then sold your new house for pennies back.

(V.)

To solve his financial liquidity trap
the Minister sings this austerity rap:
"I help debtor banks,
for which they give thanks,
And save for you workers, my dirty crap."

(II.)

There is a new plan called TARP,
which reeks of capers and carp;
It floats toxic assets,
ignores moral facets,
The world according to TARP!

(III.)

A hedge-fund trader from Nannatuck
was fond of sad women and making a buck;
He bought them bad wine,
he sold them sub-prime,
And said that he didn't quite give a f*ck.

(IV.)

An old man heard Mayor Bloomberg say,
"If you want to have me, you must pay to play";
So he yelled in the dark:
"I am Zuccotti Park!
--How much for your can of pepper spray?!"