

Conversation supposed to be held
 between
 Mr R. Mrs R Miss R & Master R
 on New-year-morning
 1836.

Mr R. What a time, surely now.

Mrs R. Breakfast's been a long time ready.

Mr R. What a wind from behind
 Mary can't have shut the door
 It is open I am sure
 Go and shut it—
 Quickly

Miss R. But it—

Ever affectionately and gratefully yours

Wrote a kind note
 this, I perceive. I really am doing lots
 of work but the paper needs to me to
 be in good humour
 W. R. R. K. in