

to the same.

quite worried to death by the book
before I came out, & catched a cold, took
to my bed, but am better now, though
my temper is frightful & my whole
disposition generally malignant &
querulous. Otherwise I would write more.

How is your brother Edmund? Y^r sincere - & a

happy new year to all of you. Edward Lear

M. Gery Leazei Conica.

Comfortable as maybe - & a - the
drains is overbuilt. The weather
is very bright this year, but colder
than is necessary. Pray tell me how
your mama likes to work - also
yourself & Mr Feilder - to whom my
kind regards. And I wish to send