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TO JORGE WALTER PERKINS

What is here?

Gold? Yellow, glittering, precious gold!
Thus much of this will make black, white;
foul, fair; wrong, right; base, noble;
old, young; coward, valiant.

—TIMON OF ATHENS