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John gives Holmes and Watson some background about his life. He grew up in England with his father and he had one uncle who had gone to Florida as a young man. John's uncle Elias was a confederate soldier in the American Civil War. A few years after the surrender of General Lee, Elias returned to England and took to a reclusive life in the provinces.

Elias became very attached to John. One morning John's uncle received a letter from India which contained five dried orange pips and had "K.K.K" marked upon the envelope. John thought the communication must have been a joke but his uncle's extreme reaction to it persuaded him otherwise.