

CUBA SUPPLIES SMUGGLED.

RED CROSS KEY WEST AGENT HAD THE BLOCKADE. Blockading Squadron Apparently Convinced at the Passage of the Red Cross Vessels.

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SWINDLER IN ARMY UNIFORM.

An ingenious Red Cross worker tells of a shameless impostor. An alleged new and original war swindle was reported yesterday to Capt. Wirt Robinson, quartermaster, U. S. Army, who is one of the Deputy Quartermaster-General's assistants in the Army Building.

"It's diabolical, Captain," the young woman began, "the swindler resorted to by dishonest men since this war began, and it seems as if most of the swindlers are trying to carry out their schemes through the Red Cross and the poor, sick soldiers. You know, our headquarters are so located that we meet the men as soon as they leave the train. We take charge of them, give them something to eat, and see that they get to the boats which bring them to New York."

"Well, about a week ago a man in a Colonel's uniform brought a lot of soldiers to us and asked us to give them something to eat, saying they were men from his regiment. One of the girls noticed that the man belonged to one of the regular infantry regiments. The girl called the man a swindler, and the next day the Colonel came along again, told the same story and made the same request. The girl called the man a swindler, and the next day the Colonel came along again, told the same story and made the same request."

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CONSORTS FOR THE SHIPS.

SIX YVESSES TO AID THE OREGON AND IOWA ON THEIR VOYAGE. Four Will Be Callers, One Will Be a Com-missary Vessel, and the Other a Distilling Ship—Why the Long Journey Around South America to Manila Was Selected.

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NAVAL ORDERS.

The Department Issues a Long Assignment of Officers to New Duties. WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—These naval orders have been issued:

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CLEANSING. JACKSONVILLE'S HEALTHFUL CAMP.

Chief Surgeon Mass Makes a Report Showing an Excellent Condition. WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—The War Department today made public the following letter from the Chief Surgeon of the Seventh Army Corps:

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Aug. 13, 1898. To Major-Gen. Fitzhugh Lee, Commanding Seventh Army Corps. SIR: I have the honor to state that the daily sick report of the three division hospitals in this corps shows a very excellent condition.

ROUGH RIDERS' HORSES HERE. Brought from Montauk Point by Boat—To Be Sold by Auction To-Day. The United States transport Mississippi arrived here from Montauk Point yesterday afternoon, bringing 1,070 horses which were purchased for the First Volunteer Cavalry, Roosevelt's rough riders. The horses will be sold by public auction at the stables of the Fias, Doerr & Carroll Horse Company, 146-155 East Tenth street, the sale beginning this morning at 10 o'clock.

MISSING SOLDIER.

A suggestion that some may be in the Indianapolis...

TO LEAVE CAMP WIKOFF.

Orders issued for the disposition of the Cavalry at Montauk Point.

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