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Our Blind Navy.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

If you were to see a mediæval knight, mounted on a war horse and in full panoply of armor, but wearing his helmet hind side before, you would imagine that he could not put up very much of a fight, for the simple reason that, no matter how well equipped, he could not see his opponent. For the same reason our boasted navy is utterly powerless, because it is absolutely blind. It has no aeroplanes from which it can determine the position and movements of an enemy.

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