

LT. DAVIS AND ADMIRAL HARWOOD.

At a National Savings Luncheon at Grosvenor House Admiral H Harwood of the River Plate Battle and Lt. Davis of the Bomb Disposal Squad were among the speakers. Lt. Davies, ~~who received the George Medal for his gallantry in saving St Pauls from being a time bomb~~ ^{had a word} to say about courage. ~~And then a sidelight~~

~~on how~~ The Bomb Squad is doing a bit of saving ~~on its own account.~~

Sir Robert Kindersley and Sir Kingsley Wood spoke about the need for every one of us to save and lend for victory, and ~~then~~ ^{the} Admiral Harwood, the man who beat the "raf Spee and has just received further promotion. *And now a story about the ship's kittens.*

Admiral Harwood's name will always be associated with H.M.S. Ajax --- his flagship for the great victory off Montevideo --- but H.M.S. Ajax has gone on to further triumph on its own account.... sinking three Italian destroyers in the Mediterranean. A few weeks ago we filmed this little record of Ajax in port undergoing a refit. We saw a happy group of sailors with the ship's ~~xxxxxx~~ kittens --- teaching them how to catch an Italian mouse. We saw them doing all those little things that make British warships the smartest in the world --- and when they went mopping up in the Mediterranean.

Once again H.M.S Ajax has covered ~~her~~ ^{her} name with glory.... the same ship with many of the same ratings but mostly different officers. ~~Sixtyxxxxxxx Sixtyxxxxxxx that gallantry and courage~~ ^{but all with the spirit of the same Navy.} ~~affinityxxxxxxxpragmaticallythroughoutthe~~

Her new Captain was Capt. McCarthy R.N.