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FRIDAY, 28 DECEMBER, 1917.

**THE GRAND PRIORY OF THE ORDER
OF THE HOSPITAL OF ST. JOHN OF
JERUSALEM IN ENGLAND.**

*Chancery of the Order,
St. John's Gate,
Clerkenwell, London, E.C.1.
21st December, 1917.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint General Sir Edmund Henry Hynman Allenby, K.C.B., as a Knight of Grace of the Order of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England.

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OF THE HOSPITAL OF ST. JOHN
OF JERUSALEM IN ENGLAND.**

*Chancery of the Order,
St. John's Gate,
Clerkenwell, London, E.C. 1.
24th December, 1917.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to sanction the following promotion in and appointments to the Order of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England.

As Knights of Grace.

Lieut.-Colonel Juan Jay-Gould, C.B.E.,
I.M.S.
Colonel John Scott Riddell, M.V.O., M.D.
(from Honorary Associate).

As Lady of Grace.

The Marchioness of Bute.

**CARGOES EX GERMAN VESSELS IN
BRAZILIAN PORTS.**

With reference to the notification which was published in the London Gazette of June 26th last, His Majesty's Minister at Rio de Janeiro now reports by telegraph that cargo discharged from some of these vessels has been already over six months in warehouse, and that the legal rate of charges payable on such cargo is therefore in general 21 per cent., and on certain classes of cargo 42 per cent. From information received, however, the ordinary rate will probably be charged on all classes of cargo.

His Majesty's Minister states that an intimation will be published shortly by the Inspector-