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### **Money for Eczema Research**

The Research Fund of the National Eczema Society now stands at around £30,000 and is open for applications for grants in the region of £1,000 to £3,000. The Society is interested in research on all types of eczema and into all aspects of the disease. Applications for funds to assist research in the management of the condition will be given special consideration. Further particulars and instructions on how to apply for a grant may be obtained from the General Secretary, National Eczema Society, 5-7 Tavistock Place, London WC1H 9SR. (Submission date for 1980 is 1 September).

### **The Department of Mental Handicap at St George's**

A new department of Psychiatry of Mental Handicap has been established at St George's Hospital Medical School, Tooting, London. The Professor, Dr Joan Bicknell, has been appointed and will take up her new post on the 1 May, 1980. Initially there will be two Senior Lecturers in the Psychiatry of Mental Handicap in the department, one providing a clinical service for Kingston and Richmond Area Health Authority with beds at Normansfield, Teddington, and the second providing a clinical service for the Merton, Sutton and Wandsworth Area Health Authority (T), with beds at