conspicuous by the dominating pale blue of the Lower Carboniferous. The separate tint for the Lower Carboniferous of co. Cork has been abandoned. It would be possible to raise some objection to the continued use of the Millstone Grit colour for the Culm, since according to Dewey in *British Regional Geology : Southwest England*, it would appear that the only beds definitely identified in the Upper Culm are of Lower Coal Measure age. The "Permian" now seems to have finally vanished from the Midlands—a welcome change as is also the disappearance of the words "German Ocean" from the North Sea.

In this map there are no less than forty separate tints or variants of tints and nearly all the colours are brighter or stronger than in the earlier editions. It is a marvel to think that under present conditions such a beautiful and useful map can be sold for 2s. unmounted.

## ANNOUNCEMENT

\_\_\_\_\_

## CLOUGH MEMORIAL RESEARCH FUND

The Clough Memorial Research Fund of the Edinburgh Geological Society was instituted in 1935 for the purpose of encouraging geological research in Scotland and the north of England; the north of England is defined as comprising the counties of Northumberland, Cumberland, Durham, Westmorland, and Yorkshire. Under the terms of administration of the Fund, a sum of approximately  $\pounds 30$  is available annually. Applications for grants are invited for the period 1st April, 1942, to 31st March, 1943. These applications should state the nature of the research to be undertaken and the amount of grant desired. Applications must be in the hands of the Secretary, Clough Research Fund Committee, Edinburgh Geological Society, Synod Hall, Castle Terrace, Edinburgh, not later than 1st March.