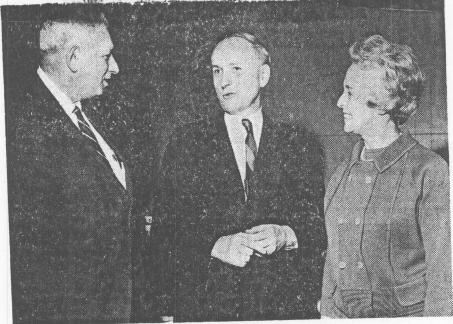
STATEN ISLAND ADVANCE, TUESDAY, MAY 23.



Taking time out at the SERVE Volunteer Tribute Day at Willowbrook State School are Dr. Jack Hammond, Willowbrook director, left, Deputy Mayor Timothy W. Costello and Mrs. Janet Sainer, SERVE project director.

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Senior Citizens Praised For Aid to State School

Costello praised the senior hours or more. citizen volunteers of Project SERVE yesterday and told

"We are trying to fuse the energies, i m a g ination and warmth of volunteers with city Hammond. agencies," the Arrochar resident said. "I hope after a year of our efforts we are able to accomplish some of what you have accomplished here at Willowbrook."

clude working with the Volunteer Tribute Day in the auditorium at Willowbrook State School.

SERVE-Serve and Enrich Retirement through Volunteer Experience—is a Staten Island volunteer project for retired persons sponsored by the Community Service Society of New York.

The program included the presentation of certificates of appreciation of members of the Willowbrook staff who have

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ville, and Miss Helen Henry of tions. Dr. Costello, whose duties in- 591 Bloomingdale Rd. Rossville.

Hammond.

Society Committee on city Department of Welfare

year research and demonstra-A surprise award was made tion program financed by fedto Mrs. Jack Hammond, super-eral and foundation grants, them the city is modeling a visor of volunteers and wife of also paid tribute to community volunteer program after the director of Willowbrook. A agencies which cooperated in volunteer, Fred Russbild, pre-the pilot phase of the project: sented the certificate of ap-the Staten Island Community preciation from SERVE to Mrs. Chest and Council and the Department of Welfare Division of Two volunteers logged more Day Centers for Older Persons. than 250 hours at Willowbrook Michael Fager of the Richduring the past 14 months. mond Day Center and Luther They are Mrs. Sadie Cooper Routte of the West Brighton of 559 Bloomingdale Rd., Ross-Day Center also received cita-

Guests included Mrs. Henry Also addressing the group Ittleson, of the Ittleson Fundateer Coordinating Council of New York City, was the main speaker at the SERVE Volunters and the speaker at the spe of the Department of Health, Garson, vice-chair- Education and Welfare, and the Community Ser- Mrs. Sylvia Greenfield of