

been almost immeasurable. Were it not for this chance for gymnasium, club work, summer outings and personal attention to special cases, fully half of the recommendations of the psychiatrist would be impossible to carry out. So many school problems are solved by proper after-school activities.

The Christodora House has also co-operated with the school in a remarkable way by enlarging the scope of the experiment during school hours. For a whole year it has lent its beautiful music room for special classes in music, and has allowed the use of its smaller rooms for tutoring, testing, and numberless small undertakings for which the school building is too crowded. The Christodora House has also done very extensive summer work for individual children and one season took care of all the children from the nutrition experiment for the whole summer. It has, in addition, a Boy Scout group which has taken a number of boys recommended by the school and handled their problems.

The Children's Aid Society has been most generous in lending its building just around the corner for special types of work.

The Local Branch of the New York City Public Library has also done special work with the classes for gifted children.

ART AND MUSIC

The Neighbourhood Art School of Greenwich House, although in a different part of the city, has given two teachers for a year and a half to work with the gifted children, in the Terman group. This work is very much more extensive than anything of the kind undertaken by the regular school department and has offered a chance to develop creative ability in modelling and colour work.

Mrs. Harriet Ayres Seymour's Music School, for one year, contributed the services of one of its best teachers to work with the gifted children. This help was most exceptional. Unfortunately, it has to be discontinued this year for lack of financial support, but its spirit has been carried on by one of the regular teachers in P.S. 64, who was herself one of Mrs. Seymour's pupils. It is hoped that this work will be started again, as it means so much to the school, not only because of its demonstration of a particular method of teaching music, but also because of its contribution to the special training of individual children.

HEALTH WORK

The Board of Health Eye Clinic, which is fortunately located in the school, has done a great deal in the way of examining the children of the entering class and in following them up promptly for glasses. This type of work is not usually done in the public schools until the third year.