

## The Federation Moves Forward

WHEN DR. MAURICE TAYLOR, A NOTED specialist in Social Welfare, came to Pittsburgh as the Assistant Director of the Federation, he came to a fertile field. Dr. Ludwig Bernstein and his worthy associates had already planted in the minds of Pittsburgh's Jews the value of cooperation in dealing with the manifold problems of a large Jewish community. When Dr. Taylor came, he found such encouragement from Leon Falk, Jr., the president of the Federation, that he set to work to make an efficient Federation even more attuned to the best interests of the community. He labored indefatigably during the flood of last year both locally and throughout the flooded area and ever since that time he has brought into play the newest methods for welfare work.

President Falk's announcement of the amalgamation of the Girls' Bureau, the Service for Foreign Born, the Jewish Family Welfare Association, the Jewish Big Brother Association, and the Pittsburgh Bureau of Jewish Children into the New Jewish Social Service Bureau comes as welcome news. The new welfare unit will increase the amount of service heretofore rendered, will minimize overlapping of activities, and will bring about many benefits which come through simplification of organization. Pittsburgh Jewry will also have the satisfaction of knowing that other cities will watch the success of this amalgamation and benefit by the Pittsburgh example.