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# HULL-HOUSE BULLETIN.

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The objects of the HULL-HOUSE BULLETIN may be succinctly stated:

1. To secure a wider advertisement of the public meetings held at Hull-House.

2. To promote co-operation in the efforts of the various societies and clubs meeting not only at Hull-House, but in the immediate neighborhood.

3. To stimulate an interest in the public affairs of the 19th Ward, and secure more unity of action toward their improvement.

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## CHRISTMAS CELEBRATIONS.

It is hoped that the Christmas receptions given by the Hull-House residents may be well attended and that they may be the beginning of a more generous and stimulating co-operation among all of the clubs and classes. The four buildings composing the settlement should be regarded as one large club-house whose advantages are held in common.

If the Christmas of 1896 should do something toward breaking up the unconscious tendency of the clubs and classes toward isolation and absorption in their own affairs it would prove a blessed Christmas, indeed, for Hull-House.

The pleasure with which the tableaux of Christmas, '94, and the Children's Play of last Christmas are remembered suggests a plan for this year. Longfellow's "Golden Legend" gives opportunity for combining dramatic presentation with several beautiful tableaux; the three scenes from the Miracle Play are especially appropriate for Christmas, as well as the illustration the entire poem offers of the beauty of self-sacrifice.

Much work and enthusiasm have already been expended in preparation.

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