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Open Access Week

October 22-28 is Open Access Week! Open Access seeks to return scholarly publishing to its original purpose: to spread knowledge and allow that knowledge to be built upon in a free and open environment. Open access is made possible with the consent of the author and the copyright holder. Open Access Week is an effort to inform and promote authors, students, researchers, administrators, publishers and librarians about the benefits of Open Access. For more information about what you can do see:

http://www.righttoresearch.org/index.shtml and http://www.openaccessweek.org/

Learning to Teach

Check out the new addition to our Digital Library Collection "Learning to Teach." Follow along in the diary pages of an



18-year old Iowa farm girl who is learning to teach. From her first days as a substitute teacher in one-room schools, to the adventure of leaving home to live in the dorms while attending the three-month summer certificate program at the Iowa State Teachers College (ISTC) in Cedar Falls, she shares interesting daily details. Read autographs from fellow classmates who shared the ISTC experience in the summers of 1926, 1927, and 1928.

Banned Books Week

Banned Books Week is an annual event cel-



ebrating the freedom to read. The American Library Association is celebrating 30 years of protecting readers' rights. For a timeline of significant banned and challenged books see: http://www.ala.org/advocacy/banned/frequen tlychallenged/timeline30-years-liberating-liter ature.

Humans vs Zombies is Finally Here!

Registration for Humans vs Zombies opens Oct 1! Be sure to sign up and turn in a signed waiver to the Circulation desk at the Rod! The first 150 will receive a sweet free Humans vs Zombies orange bandana! For more information about rules, how to defend yourself, game play area and times go to:

http://www.library.uni.edu/pu blic-relations/humans-vs-zombies. Information will also be on our facebook page: www.facebook.com/rodlibrary



Upcoming Events

Sept 30-Oct 6 "Banned Books Week"	Oct 1 Zombie Registration Opens	Oct 9 "Children in No Mans Land" Film Discussion	Oct 19-21 Homecoming Weekend	Oct 22-28 Open Access Week	Oct 26-Nov 2 Humans vs Zombies Event	Oct 29 "Capitalism Hits the Fan" Film Discussion

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