

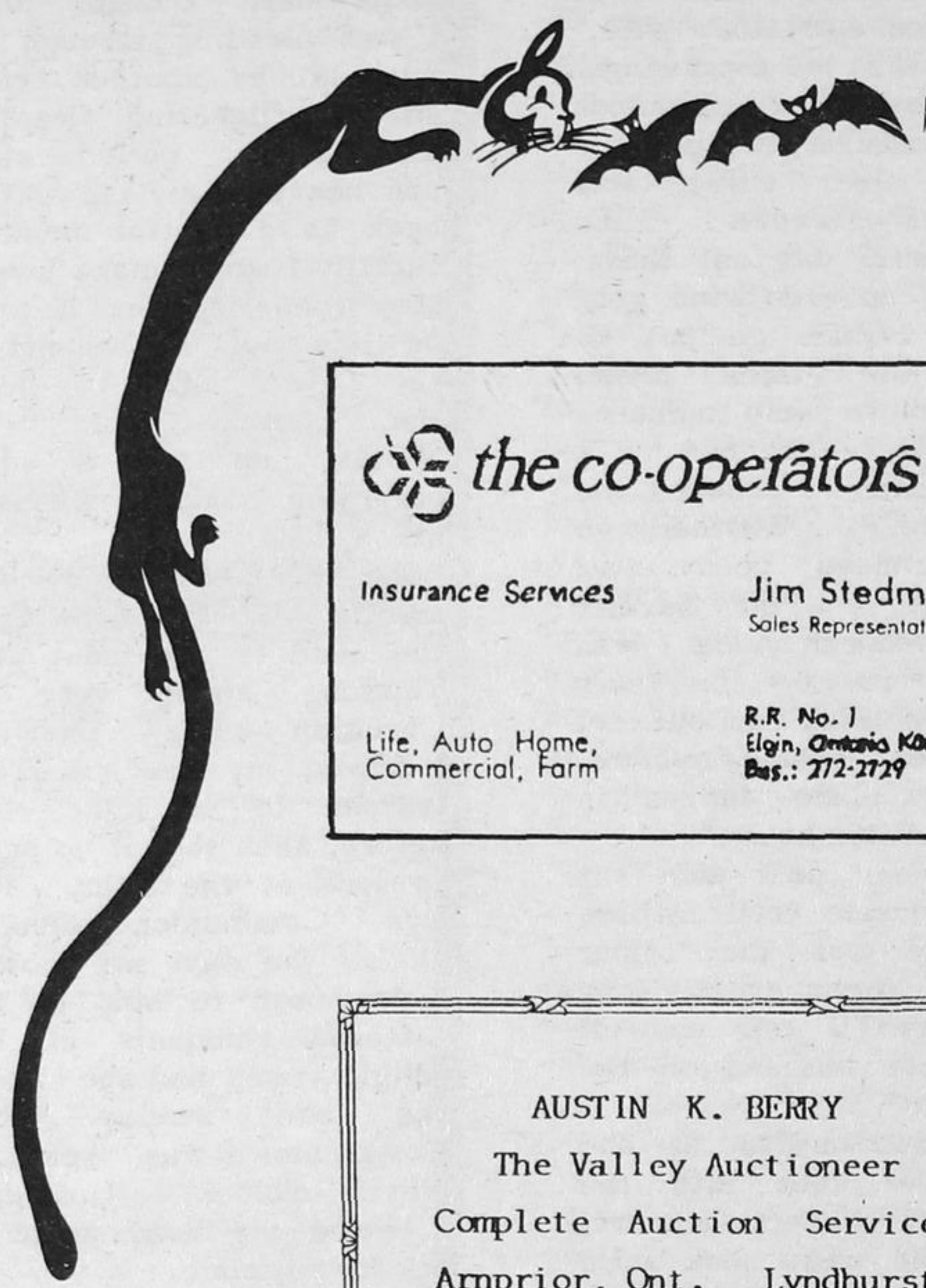


As school resumes, so do class visits. This year we anticipate having four elementary schools: Rideau Centennial, South Crosby, Sweet's Corners and Beverley taking part. Lyndhurst branch is changing afternoon hours from Wednesday to Tuesday, 1.00 to 4.00 p.m. beginning Tuesday October 4. This will allow the branch to serve the community on three separate days which we hope will be more convenient. October 16-22 is Library Week. Rideau Lakes Union Library is mounting a display of book covers, old, new and home made, in each of our branches. We are also asking for brief, 100 word book reviews from anyone who has enjoyed a good book recently. These will be posted in the branches to draw the attention of other readers. Some reviews will appear in the Lantern. October 16-22 is also Book forgiveness week. If any of our books are lingering in your home, that will be the time to return them. No fines, no recriminations.

PLEASE NOTE:  
Rideau Lakes Union Library will present "Christmas Designs for the Home - Advanced level" at St. Columbanus Parish Hall, Elgin, Tuesday, October 18th, 7.00 - 9.30. Admission \$1.00 Call Kathie at R.L.U.L. 359-5315 for details.

AND  
Mouse Tales- Plays and Poems about Mice, South Crosby Public School, Thursday, October 20, 1.30 p.m. Admission \$1.00

BOOK REVIEW  
CHAMPION by C.L. Balling is a book that deserves its name. It is historical fiction about William Marshall, a Knight crusader who returns to 12th century England planning to serve his King, Richard the Lionheart. Marshall, a brave but landless younger son, becomes involved in Plantagenet politics, personal romance and deeds of valour on the battlefields of England and France. He wins fame, lands, and the hand of his chosen lady. The book is immediately involving and has a fast pace. It is historically accurate and of interest to readers of romance, adventure, historical fiction and military strategy.  
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