

I'd been looking for vacancies near Moravia, but there were few available."

She describes her interview for the Putnam position, "I was given a tour of the facilities and was instantly impressed. I was especially attracted to the modern technology, and the fact that all the K through twelve grades are in the same building. I immediately felt welcome, and I've since found the administration to be very supportive."

What she soon learned was that some of her relatives in Seymour,

Iowa, were friends of another lowegian who has her room next to Robin. Diane McClain is the school's counselor, and she is a native of Seymour.

A radiant smile appears when she adds, "There is


Robin Prater, Kindergarten teacher at Putnam County R-1



another connection in Unionville with ties to Moravia. Mike Tomlin lives here, raises lambs and is originally from Moravia. He's a good friend of the family. His daughter is in my kindergarten class."



Robin says of her activities and

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