



HOME OF PRESIDENT'S MOTHER. Bungalow in Grandview (pop. 400) where Mrs. Martha Truman, the President's 92-year-old mother, lives with her daughter Mary. The house was built for their occupancy when they moved to town from their farm home in 1941. (Modern Woodmen photo.)

...ther from 1906 until the latter's death...
 ...to operate himself until 1917, he...
 ...Modern Woodmen Camp 4311, Grand...
 ...1911, and his interest and activity...
 ...members to elect him consul in 1913, a...
 ...for two terms.
 ...Trumans also had a residence in Inde...
 ...he three children attended school. Harry...
 ...interest was centered in the Grandview...
 ...he entered the army at the start of...
 ...his widowed, 92-year-old mother now re...
 ...with Miss Mary, the President's only...
 ...nly brother, Vivian, lives in a neat stucco...
 ...old Truman farm within a stone's thro...
 ...i. Harry Truman's boyhood and early...
 ...d to him an understanding and philosophy...
 ...ypical of Missourians, which he has...
 ...dout his entire career and which ap...
 ...never lose.
 ...resident left the Grandview communit...
 ...National Guard unit of which he was a...
 ...ed to service in World War I. Thwarted...
 ...ion to attend West Point because of faulty...
 ...ing farmer joined the...
 ...Guard. Here he...
 ...up through the non...
 ...nks during two epist...
 ...f which ended in 1911.
 ...the Guard when the...
 ...came embroiled in the...
 ...attended 8th Artil...
 ...ment

... fellow officers and enlisted men, show...
 ...ing a coolness under fire, and generally...
 ...acquitting himself with honor.
 ...Harry Truman came home from...
 ...Europe a major, was later commissioned...
 ...a colonel in the reserve, a rank he still...
 ...holds. He tried to enter the service...
 ...at the outbreak of the present war, but

...married Bess Wallace, schoolteacher...
 ...and former schoolmate of the "studious...
 ...Truman boy." He had first met her...
 ...at a Sunday school outing when he was...
 ...7 and she was 6. Bess Wallace was...
 ...the only sweetheart Harry Truman ever...
 ...had. Following their marriage the...
 ...moved to the old Wallace home.

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