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*Which Big XII University is located equidistant (within a mile) from the two largest cities in its state?  
Where is the university located? What are the two largest cities in the state?*



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*Why does Houston call itself the "energy capital of the world"?*



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*Name the two famous boys in American literature whose names are titles of two classic novels set in Hannibal, Missouri, on the Mississippi River. Who was the author of these novels?  
Why was Hannibal recently in the news?*



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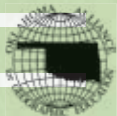


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*Which of this week's Big XII opponent states can boast of  
being home to three United States Presidents?  
Can you name the Presidents?*



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but the most destructive tornado on record actually occurred in which state?*



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*Boomers were those who pushed for the opening of the unassigned lands of Oklahoma to settlers before April 22, 1889. Sooners were settlers who slipped into the territory before the gun was fired, signifying the opening of the land run. Where did OU's fight song "Boomer Sooner" come from?*



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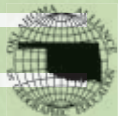


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*Two presidential libraries are located on Big XII university campuses in the same state.  
What are the names of these two libraries and on which campuses are they located?*



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*The dome of what Big XII city's capitol building actually stands taller than that of the Nation's Capitol in Washington D.C.?*



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