

Welcome Back to School from



Ever wondered what those big blue things were hanging out over the Cape Fear River? Truman went to visit the Port of Wilmington to find out! Can you guess what they are?

CRANES!

(NO, NOT THE BIRD, THE BIG METAL STRUCTURES!)

Truman learned that the cranes are used to move containers of goods that are exported from and imported to Wilmington, then sent all over the world. He even got to drive one! Each crane weighs 1,380 tons. That is equal to 170 African Elephants or 115 School Buses. **WOW!**

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Do The Math:

All together, the cranes cost \$33.2 million. If there are 4 cranes, how much did one crane cost? _____

The cranes will turn 3 years old in April 2010. What year did they go into service? _____

