

*The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks*  
 Chapter Two: Great Migrations Organizer  
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Using complete sentences, please explain your thinking.	
<p>Then one afternoon at the end of 1941, their cousin Fred Garret came barreling down the dirt road beside their field. He was just back from Baltimore for a visit in his slick '36 Chevy and fancy clothes. Only a year earlier, Fred and his brother Cliff had been tobacco farmers in Clover too...[but] eventually Fred took his last three dollars and twenty-five cents and bought a bus ticket north for a new life. (p24)</p>	
<p>Sparrows Point was rapidly becoming the largest steel plant in the world. It produced concrete- reinforcing bars, barbed wire, nails, and steel for cars, refrigerators, and military ships. It would burn more than six million tons of coal each year to make up to eight million tons of steel and employ more than 30,000 workers. Bethlehem Steel was a gold mine in a time flush with poverty, especially for black families from the South. Word spread from Maryland to the farms of Virginia and the Carolinas, and as part of what would become known as the Great Migration, black families flocked from the South to Turner Station—the Promised Land. (p25)</p>	

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<p>Fred had made it. Now he'd come back to Clover to convince Henrietta and Day that they should do the same. The morning after he came barreling into town, Fred bought Day a bus ticket to Baltimore. They agreed Henrietta would stay behind to care for the children and the tobacco until Day made enough for a house of their own in Baltimore, and three tickets north. (p26)</p>	