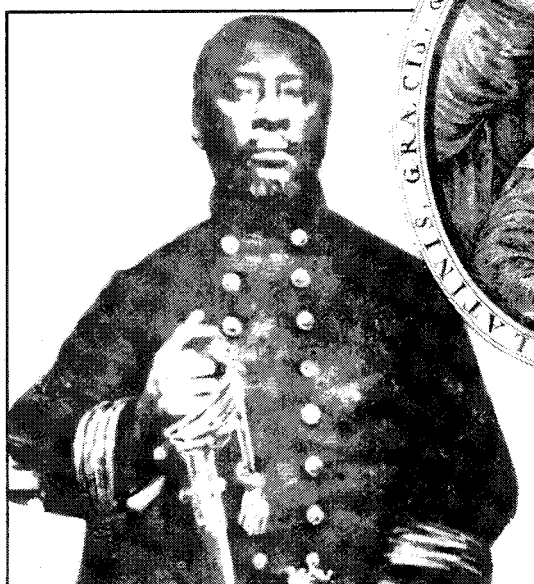


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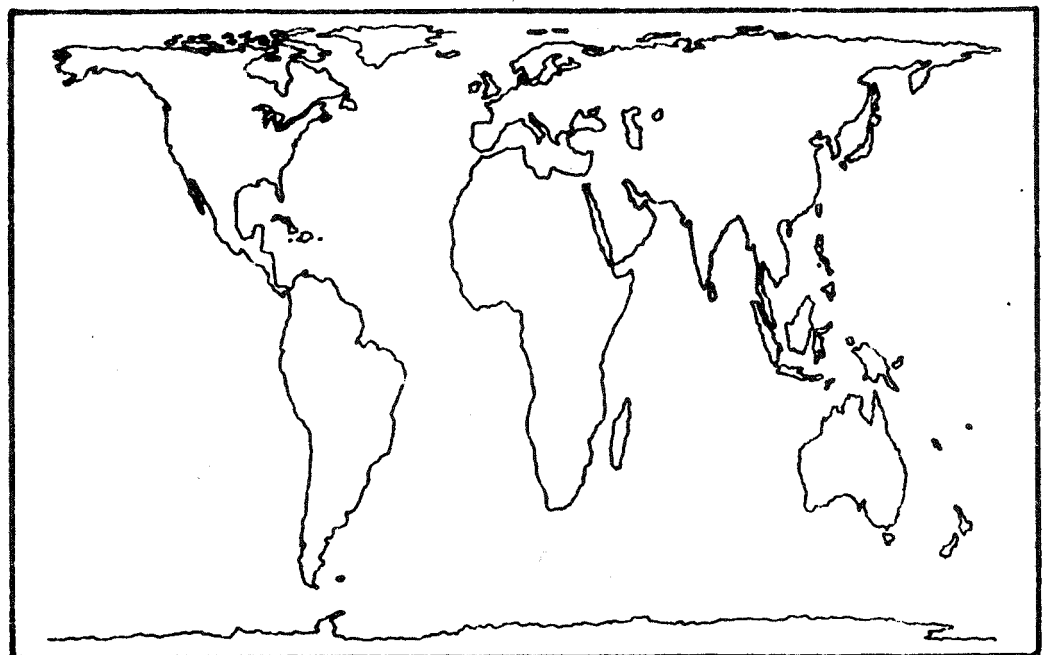
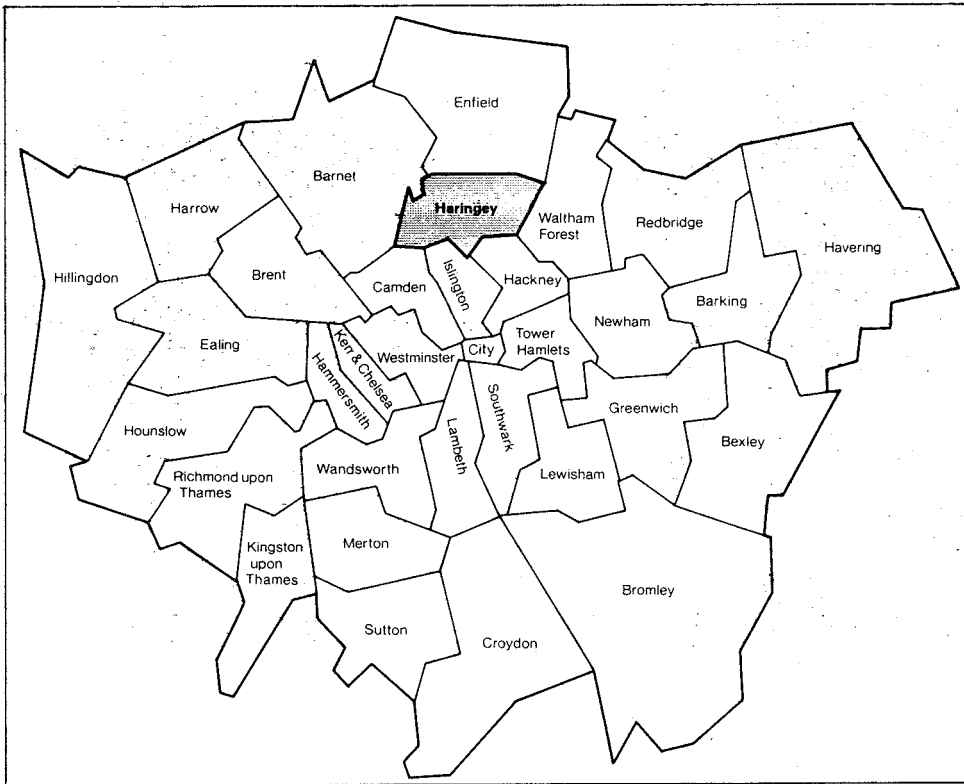
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Introduction

Local history is a piece of a giant jig-saw of a national story. That story, similarly, fits into a larger picture of world history. This book traces some of the links between Haringey and the worldwide scene over the last four hundred years. It highlights the constant movement of peoples both into and out from the parishes of Tottenham and Hornsey. That movement had as many diverse purposes as the diversity of the people making the journeys.

These local-national-world links record the growth of Britain's mercantile power, fuelled by an enthusiastic entry into the Slave Trade, the birth of the Industrial Revolution and the development of the British Empire. This book includes the neglected evidence of the colonised and raises the issue of bias and omission in the writing of much British history. I have quoted statements which could be considered racist, with the intention of using such statements as illustrations of the racism inherent in the historical process.

It is hoped that the contents within these covers will help to redress an imbalance.

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For the sake of consistency one version of the spelling of certain titles and place names has been chosen and used throughout the book. This does not imply that other spellings are incorrect. For example, there are a variety of ways English writers spell Süleyman the Magnificent. The name is Turkish and the act of translation distorts both the original speaking and writing of the name.