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Paper 2 Section A/C:

**Britain: Migration, empires and the people:
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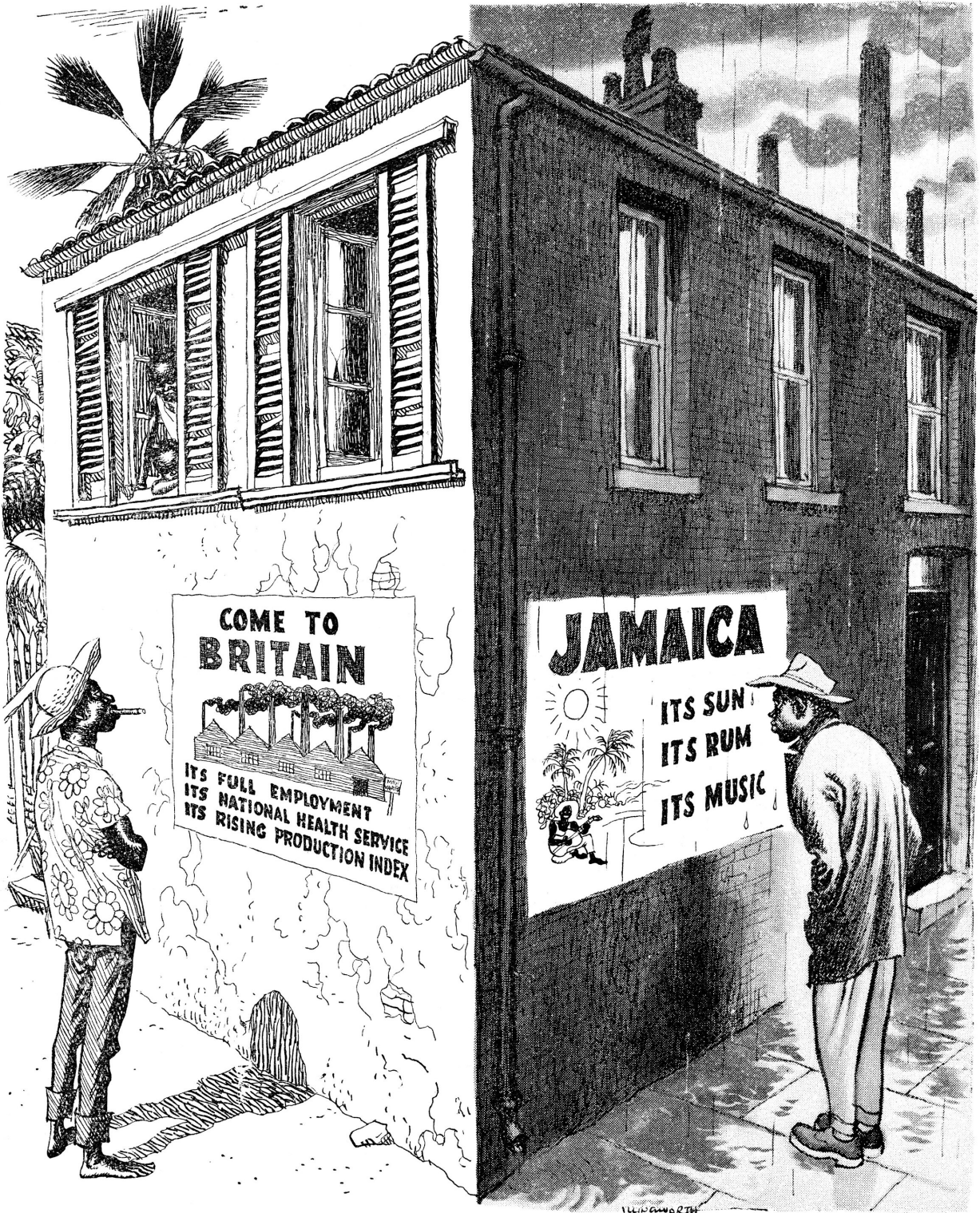
A cartoon, published in 1954, from the British magazine, 'Punch'.

Punch was a popular magazine which often used humour to comment on life in Britain and abroad at the time. It also sold many copies in British colonies. In 1953, Punch appointed a new editor who employed cartoonists with a harsher, more critical view of British life.

The cartoon shows two sides of a house.

On one side of the house the weather is sunny, there are palm trees and the windows are open. There is a poster with a picture of factories on the wall. It reads 'Come to Britain. Its full employment. Its national health service. Its rising production index'. There is a man in a t-shirt in the street looking at the poster.

At the other side of the house, it is raining. There are factories in the background and the windows are closed. There is a poster with a picture of a figure playing the guitar on a sunny beach. It reads 'Jamaica. Its Sun. Its Rum. Its Music'. There is a man in a raincoat in the street looking at the poster.



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