Contents

Acknowledgments ix
Introduction 1

PART 1: PROTEST AND RESISTANCE
1. Breaking the Color Line 25
3. Assimilation 72
4. Busing 100

PART 2: ACCOMMODATION
5. Power Transitions 123
6. Community Schools 149
7. Blacks on the Board 167
8. Grandstanding 186

PART 3: INEQUALITY AND CULTURAL CHANGE
9. Narrative Closure 219
10. Redefining the Problem of Racial Inequality 230

Conclusion 257
Notes 273
Index 299