

Gang jailed for attacking student with bottle in Whitechapel

From the [Daily Mail](#) reported thus:

CCTV images show Mr Hounye and his 23-year-old pal being followed by a number of Asian men as they made their way back to the friend's home in Shadwell, before a confrontation is seen to begin.

Police do not know what sparked an argument, but the exchange quickly became heated and the suspects threatening and aggressive. One of the men grabbed the bottle that Mr Hounye was drinking from and smashed it against his face.

Investigating officer, Detective Constable Ben Mott, said: 'We believe the suspects picked a fight with the victim as he was obviously not from the local area and they took exception to the fact that he was a bit different.

'The victim has an Italian accent, his own style of dress and mannerisms and, when challenged by the Asian males, answered them back. They retaliated by grabbing the bottle and launching a vicious attack that has left him scarred for life...'

This was at the time of the Muslim patrols in Whitechapel and [not dressed](#) according to their Islamic code was c