



Residents of a quarter of the city's East End were waked from their beds in the early hours of yesterday's morning by a considerable explosion.

The detonation occurred at the intersection of Challenger Lane and Doyle's Street, a quantity of explosives having been placed inside a warehouse by persons unknown.



Fortuity and the timely intervention of the local Fire Brigade saw to it that no lives were lost and further destruction of property avoided.

It is however fair to say that a number of residents suffered a dreadful shock to their nerves, some being scorched by the immense heat.



Inspector Bradstreet of Scotland Yard has been charged with the task of tracing those responsible for the extraordinary crime and spoke thusly:

"Though no arrests have yet been made, rest assured that we are doing our utmost to find the culprits and bring them to justice."