

Shaw, Byam, artist. King Henry VI, part 3, a set of seven original drawings. [ca.1900] Folger ART Box S534 no.14 part 4 (size S)

In this drawing, Byam Shaw illustrates Act 2, Scene 1 of *The Third Part of King Henry VI*, a fateful one for both Edward and Richard, sons of the Duke of York. Here, Edward and Richard converse before they learn of their father's death, which positions Edward as the Yorkist heir to the English throne, new rival to Henry VI. By the end of the play, this Edward will be crowned King Edward IV.