**Viscount Lovell and the Staffords.**

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| Who | Viscount Lovell and Humphrey and Thomas Stafford |
| When | Easter 1486 |
| Why | Lovell had prospered from being a loyal supporter of Richard III.  |
| Events | * Lovell tried to raise a rebellion in the North Riding of Yorkshire whilst Stafford tried to gather forces in the Midlands.
* Humphrey and Thomas Stafford took sanctuary in the Church for 40 days and 40 nights. Anyone who took sanctuary could not be killed but had to leave the country after this time period. If they did not, they had to wade into the nearest port and take the first boat, irrelevant of where it was going.
* Henry went into the Church and pulled the Humphreys out.
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| Result | Lovell ran off and hid and was never seen again. Humphrey Stafford was executed but Thomas was pardoned. |

It seems significant that there was such little enthusiasm in Yorkshire: it was easily suppressed.