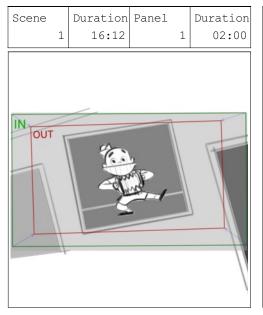
Heimertz and the Lion



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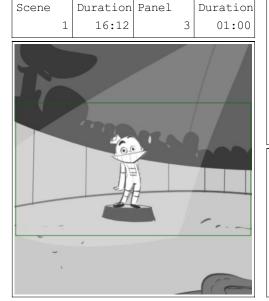
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HOLD ON a photo of HEIMERTZ himself as a YOUNG BOY. He wears LEDERHOSEN or some other Old-World-y garb, and a CIRCUS TENT is visible behind him. He holds the ACCORDION, much newer, and grins his familiar grin.

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PUSH IN FURTHER to show just HEIMERTZ, grinning, and now the entire screen is SEPIA TONED (and will remain so).



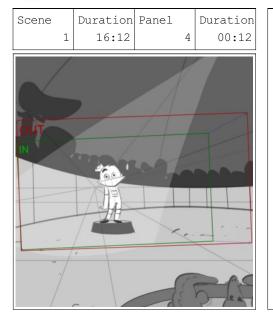
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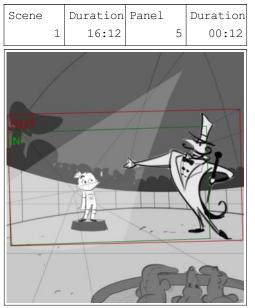
PULL BACK to show Young Heimertz, NO LONGER HOLDING HIS ACCORDION, standing in the CENTER RING of a BIG TOP.

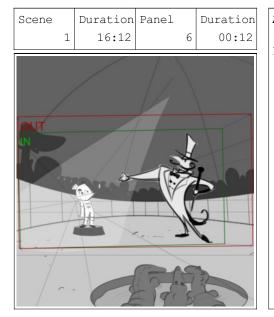
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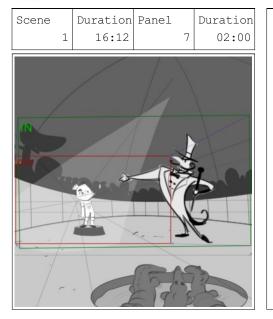


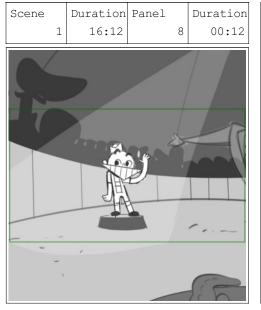


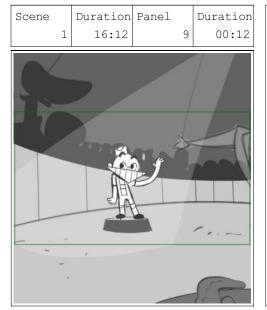
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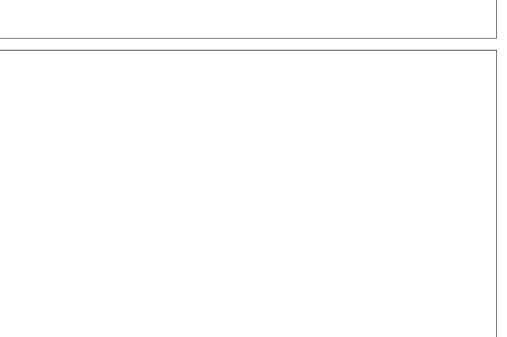
IN A SPOTLIGHT - a RINGMASTER gestures grandly, giving his spiel, holding the unseen crowd rapt. He POINTS --



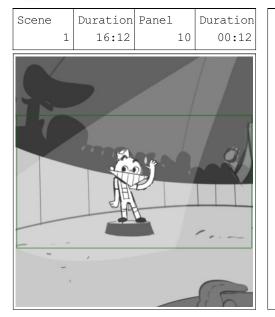


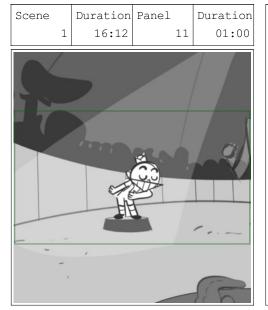












Action Notes

YOUNG HEIMERTZ - BOWS, on his cue.

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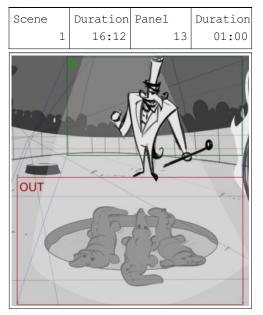
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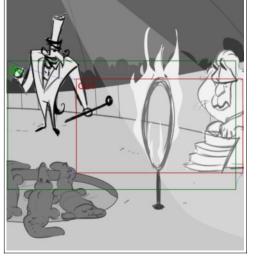
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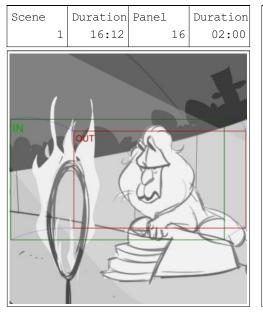


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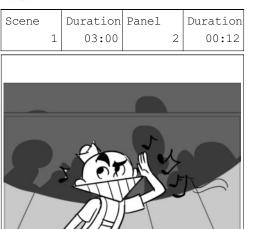
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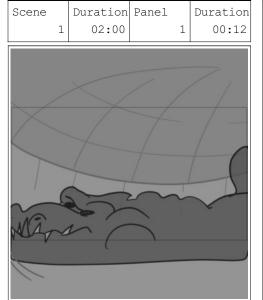
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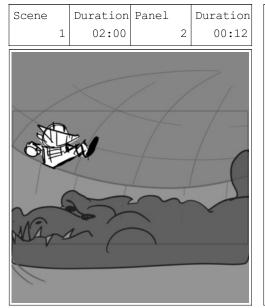
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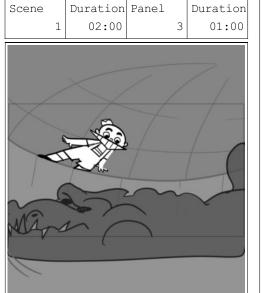
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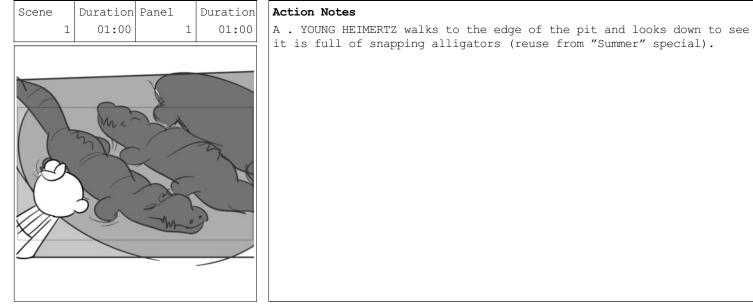
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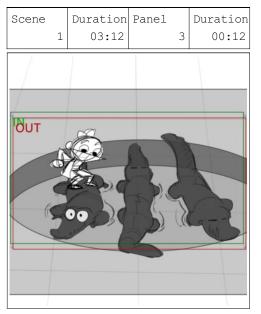
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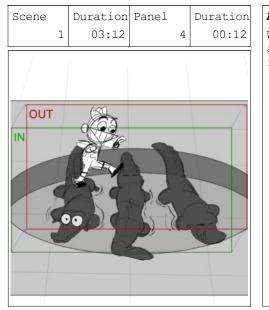
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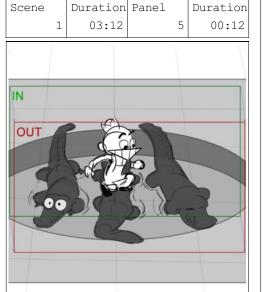
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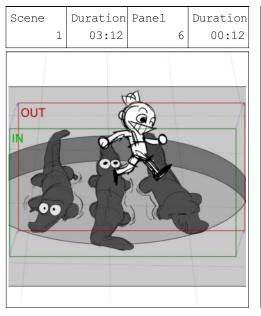
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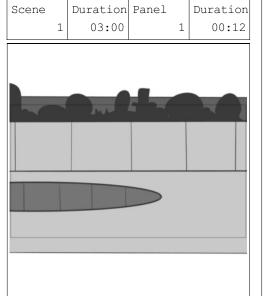
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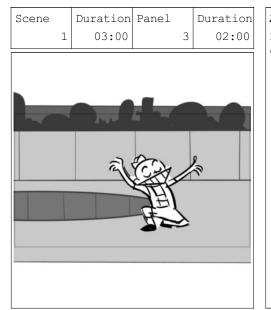
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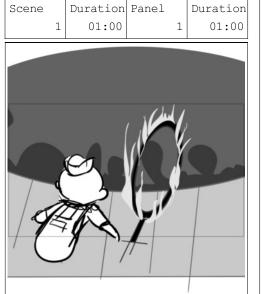
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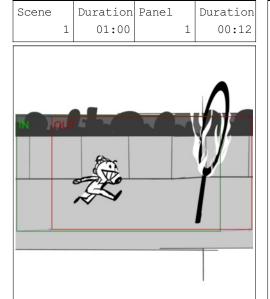
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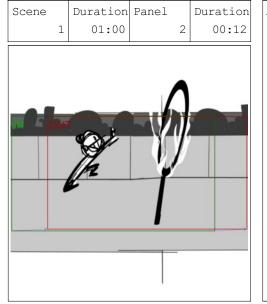
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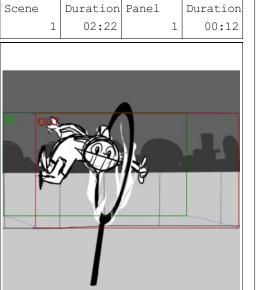
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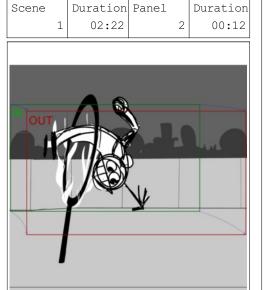
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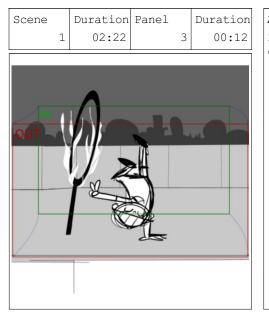
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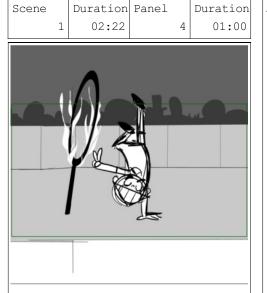
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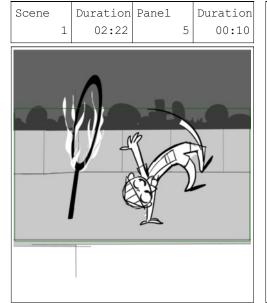
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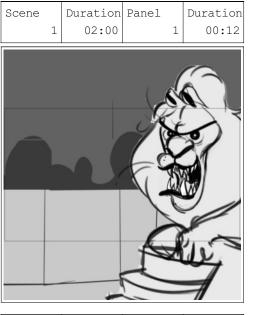
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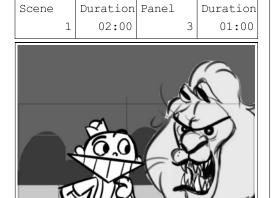
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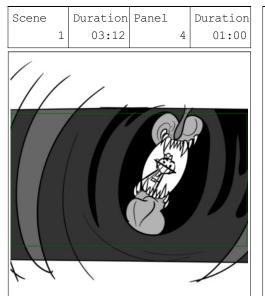
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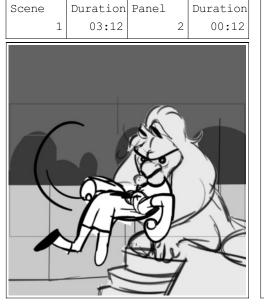




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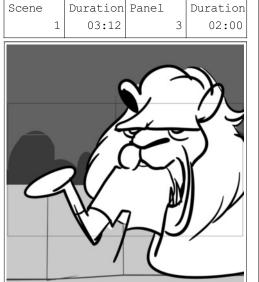
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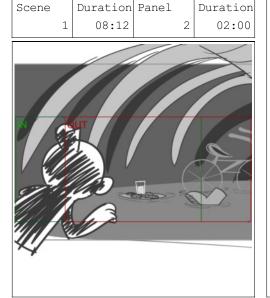


Action Notes PUSH IN on the LION, then THROUGH IT, so we are now --

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Action Notes

YOUNG HEIMERTZ'S POV - as he scans the landscape in which he finds himself. Moving past RIBS, we PAN across the remains of the things the lion has eaten. A PAIR OF BOOTS, AN INTACT PLATE OF COOKIES, complete with GLASS OF MILK; a SHIP IN A BOTTLE; a FULL-SIZE ANTIQUE AUTOMOBILE . He hears the tones of the accordion riff once again and his POV zips to...



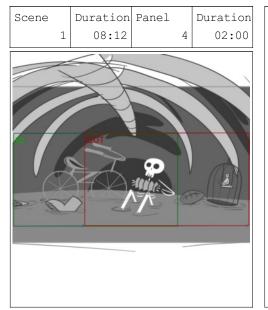
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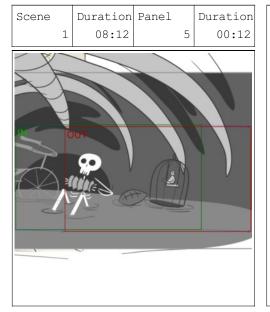
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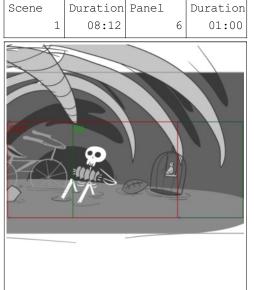
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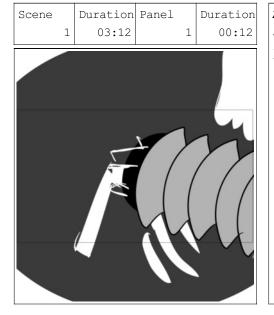
Action Notes

a BRAND NEW ACCORDION held in the grip of a TOOTHY SKELETON!

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YOUNG HEIMERTZ - His EYES WIDEN



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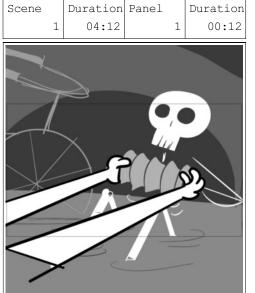
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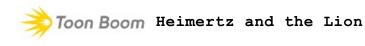
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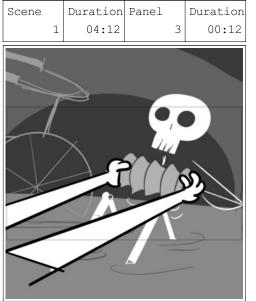
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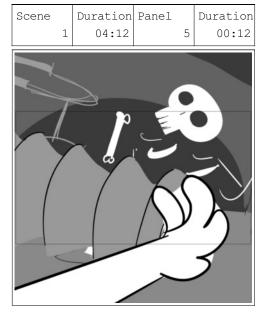
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Action Notes

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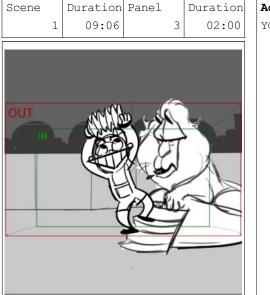
Again, we see YOUNG HEIMERTZ, his head down the throat of the LION.



Scene 1 Duration 09:06 2 Duration 00:12

Action Notes

Suddenly, YOUNG HEIMERTZ out of the lion's mouth holding the ACCORDION! HE teeters on the top of the stepladder for a moment.



Scene Duration Panel Duration 09:06 4 00:12

Action Notes

YOUNG HEIMERTZ settles and holds up the ACCORDION in triumph!

Action Notes

YOUNG HEIMERTZ tentatively plays the riff we have previously heard on the accordion. The crowd cheers.

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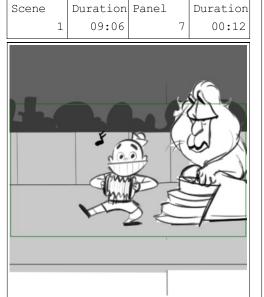
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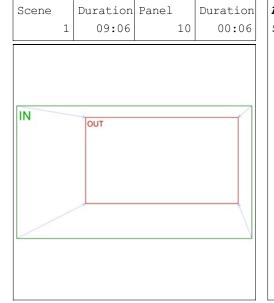
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