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HUSSLE SIGNS A FEW AUTOGRAPHS AND TAKES A FEW PICTURES WITH THE PATRONS.

SMITTY

I wonder what he's doing in here?

HUSSLE CROSSES OVER TO THE GUYS.

START →

HUSSLE

I'm looking for Kenny.

JAY AND SMITTY ARE TAKEN ABACK.

KENNY

I'm Kenny. Wassup man, what brings you in here?

HUSSLE

I heard your cuts are legit. I need a fresh one for tonight's game. Can you hook me up?

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KENNY

Of course man, I got you!

HUSSLE SITS IN KENNY'S CHAIR AND KENNY STARTS SETTING UP FOR THE CUT.

KENNY (CONT'D)

So how'd you hear about me?

HUSSLE

Well, I have a bunch of family on this side of town, and my cousin's baby momma's half brother said you cut a mean fade.

JAY

Well he's alright, but it's nothing like a Jay Weaver special! Here's my card.

JAY ATTEMPTS TO GIVE HUSSLE HIS CARD BUT HUSSLE'S HANDS ARE UNDER THE APRON AND HE DOES NOT MOVE THEM. HE JUST STARE'S AT JAY WITH THE "YOU GOT ME MESSED UP" LOOK.

JAY (CONT'D)

I'll just leave this right here for when you're done.

JAY PLACES THE CARD ON HUSSLE'S APRON, AND THE CARD SLIDES DOWN ONTO THE FLOOR. SMITTY CROSSES OVER. *

SMITTY

Nice to meet you Hussle, I'm Smitty.
Do you know how much money I lost betting on your games!? I oughta wipe the floor with you!

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SMITTY LUNGES TOWARD HUSSLE, BUT IS STOPPED BY JAY.

JAY

Smitty, keep it together! Get back to work.

JAY AND SMITTY RETURN TO THEIR CHAIRS.

HUSSLE

Damn, are they always like this?

KENNY

Yeah, unfortunately. (THEN) So what kinda cut are you looking for?

HUSSLE

Listen, I heard you're the man, so I'm gonna trust the work of the artist. Just give me something new and fresh. Use your imagination.

KENNY

Say no more.

HUSSLE

Kenny, you hook me up right and I might have you travel to cut me on road games. *

KENNY

For sure man, I'd be down for that!

ALL OF A SUDDEN A BUMBLE BEE FLIES RIGHT BY KENNY AND HE FRANTICALLY SWATS AT IT. HE ACCIDENTALLY SHAVES A VALLEY RIGHT BETWEEN HUSSLE'S HEAD WITH A LOUD BUZZ. EVERYONE GASPS.

HUSSLE

What was that?

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KENNY TRIES TO PLAY IT OFF AND HANDS HUSSLE A MIRROR.

KENNY

Well you said you wanted something new
and fresh, so I used my imagination.

HUSSLE

What the hell do you call this?

KENNY

I call it... "The Bad Bumble."

HUSSLE

That's real creative. You wanna know
what I call it? "The Lost Customer".

I'm never coming back here again.

← **END**

HUSSLE EXITS THE SHOP. ON KENNY'S DEFEATED REACTION WE:

FADE OUT.

END OF ACT ONE

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