



## Cool hand Slim

What does the well dressed poker player wear?

If he's "Amarillo Slim," he wears something that will hold all the money he'll take from the pigeons at his table.

If he's a pigeon, the poker player wears something that won't look too baggy after Slim's taken all the money.

Slim was in town playing for charity . . . the traditional kind of charity, not the Amarillo Slim personal beneficiary fund. The \$50,000 was loaned by a bank, but Slim kicked in his own \$100 for charity.

The size of the antes left some innocent bystanders wondering, but it was all in fun.

The only people not having fun Monday were the four bank guards watching the piles of fifties and hundreds decorating the middle of the table at each contested pot.

Among first-round challengers were Detroit Lion Charlie Sanders and WXYZ's Dennis Holey, Jim Harrington, Jim Osborne. When the last hand was played, Slim was the loser.

"It's all in the game," he said.

Second round challengers didn't do so well. Sonny Elliot, Dwayne X. Riley and Morey Carlson tried . . . Slim tried harder.

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