

**INTERVIEW TRANSCRIPT: FRED COUPLES**  
**Saturday, August 24, 2013**

**Q. Birdied three of the last five. How was your round?**

**FRED COUPLES:** You know, it wasn't sloppy, it just wasn't very good. I can't birdie the 18th hole so it doesn't really matter to talk about it. But if I could have, I would have shot the same score as yesterday, which I felt like I played much better yesterday. You know, the more I play this course, the more I feel like you get to know it. I think length helps, but I just butcher some of the holes that I feel like I should play well and 18 is one of them. I mean, yesterday I had a 5-iron to the green to make par, today a 4-iron to make par. I'm not asking to do a million good things, I'm just asking to do a couple good things. I might be 7-under and have a shot. But it is what it is and I enjoy playing, it's fun.

**Q. John Riegger's done millions of good things, 8-under par.**

**FRED COUPLES:** That's a great round. All these guys are talented. John Riegger's a guy I've known a long time and he's overdue to do something because he's got a great game and it's not easy. Tomorrow's going to be a tough day for him, but that's a great round today. His length, I don't know if you watched him, he hits it a mile. I'm sure he made it look pretty easy shooting that score and that's really what you do. There have been great scores here before, but as hard as the greens are and I think it's a little tricky.