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ROUND 3 QUOTES

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WILL CHANDLER (-15)

Q. Will, another 5 under round today. You got off to a quick start there with three birdies in your first four holes. Just kind of take us through that to start the day.

WILL CHANDLER: I hit some good numbers with wedges and it was kind of green light, hit 'em tight and tapped it in.

Q. Was there -- on the back nine there it seemed like a little up and down, had bogey, eagle, another bogey and you rattled off some birdies. What was that stretch like for you? Was it kind of putting the ball in a bad spot?

WILL CHANDLER: Yeah, the weather changed pretty quickly. I thought I hit a pretty good shot into 11, but it -- the wind took it pretty good and I didn't get it up and down.

But made a good eagle on 12 when it was pouring. Hit a bad tee shot on 13 that led to a bogey.

Q. We talked to some guys here about more plotting their way around this golf course instead of just ripping driver. What's been your kind of plan off the tee this week at the course?

WILL CHANDLER: Definitely playing to certain spots, especially into the greens, too. You can't go after all these flags. Can't go after hardly any, even with a wedge. Definitely try to get in the fairway and then from there you can control your spin better into the green and hit it to the correct spot. Definitely plotting your way around this course in general, for sure.

Q. I guess after this round, last few days you've kind of been hanging around the top of the leaderboard, I guess. What's kind of the mindset been? Nerves? Have you really been thinking much about where you're at? Just how playing well in this event can affect you going forward?

WILL CHANDLER: Yeah, I don't really think about that. We're out there doing the best we can each shot, see where that puts us.

Yeah, no, it's very -- all the stuff you've heard, it's one shot at a time. Just keep hitting committed golf shots.

Q. Before the interview we saw a lot of golf gloves due to the weather. I guess how



many do you think you went through today and how much were you rotating in and out?

WILL CHANDLER: A lot, because I like to have a fresh one if it's raining, so I have a lot of gloves in there. It rained on and off and then it poured for maybe a couple holes, it rained pretty hard. I'll definitely load up on gloves tonight because it might rain tomorrow, too, I think.

Q. And how do you think you'll prepare for kind of not knowing what the weather might be like tomorrow? It will probably rain, but not sure how the day might pan out.

WILL CHANDLER: I mean, it is what it is. The weather's not going to affect what me and Jed are doing. Whatever the weather presents, we'll deal with it.

Q. Kind of looks like you'll most likely be in the last group tomorrow. When's kind of, you know, professional career you've been in a position like this?

WILL CHANDLER: Mini tour events. Never out here, and never on the Canadian Tour. Mini tour events, yeah.

Q. How do you think those past events' experience might apply to this?

WILL CHANDLER: Yeah, maybe a little bit, but it's not going to be any different. It's a round of golf, it's what we've been doing all year. It should be fun.

