

ROUND 3 QUICK QUOTES

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CAMERON PERCY (-13)



Q. Cameron, let's start with your play today. Just how did you feel like you played?

CAMERON PERCY: Really nicely early and then I got distracted on 8, hit a terrible drive and didn't make birdie there. Played nicely through to about 15 and then I thought I hit the drive just down the left, it hit a tree and kicked up against a tree and I had to chip it out and I didn't get up and down. Then a mud ball on 16 and made a mess of that. Just pushed it a bit on 17 and it was dead in the mud. Then 18, just hit a terrible drive just way too far right. I thought I could get it down there and I could get line of sight, there was trees in the way so that wasn't a very smart decision. Then hit a poor wedge and lipped the putt out. So putt goes in, I think I'm pretty happy. Putt missed and I'm 37th I think, so disappointing.

Q. Throughout the day were you paying attention to points?

CAMERON PERCY: No, I wasn't at all. I just knew I was playing really well and I was just like next shot, next shot, next shot. Then I just -- I don't know, just missed the fairway on 15, just hit a couple really nice drives, I was pretty confident. Just got a really bad break. Then just missed the putt, which was annoying. Got distracted there by people ordering drinks. On 16 I had a wedge in the middle of the fairway and I hit it 30 yards left and I just had a wicked mud ball. Then yeah, so disappointing. I wasn't even thinking I was going to miss out. I thought if I just kept doing this, I'm good. Then at the end (indiscernible), so I just didn't make that putt at the last, but didn't go in.

Q. When it comes down to the last like that, what goes through your head?

CAMERON PERCY: Well, I keep telling my caddie and my coach that I need a stock shot that I just aim straight and hope it goes straight and that's what you need. You need a shot under pressure that you just pull back on, let's just get on the fairway because I could reach with a 5-iron or 6-iron today. I just had to get in the fairway. I just don't have a stock shot. I aim straight and try to hit it straight, doesn't work very good. I've got time to work on a stock shot in the next couple months, I guess.

Q. I know 37 sucks, but it's going to get you into a lot of events.

CAMERON PERCY: I mean, at the start of the season when I started, missing a few weeks for a few things that happened, if you said I was 37th I would be happy. But today I played beautifully, the whole week I played beautifully and just mucked up basically, so very disappointing. That's the way it goes.

Q. Did you picture yourself -- I mean, one of three shots, 15 through 17, knowing that

from Q-School to right now that one or two shots could change things?

CAMERON PERCY: Well, I know in Raleigh I was going really nicely and I just blocked a drive on my third last hole, I was running fifth and I made a 7. So if you look back on that, there's three shots. I mean, I had the world to hit it left and I blocked it right. Just same thing, like no stock shot. It's going to be one shot. I think Pamps is 36th, he's played great the last few weeks. Another Aussie got in 37th is a pretty good number to have anyway.

Q. And you and David Bransdon just missed it, too.

CAMERON PERCY: Oh, did he? Oh, that sucks. But last week he thought he was going home. For him to be high 30s as awesome so he's going to get in everything next year, too. So that's great from where he's come, too