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Just look at these golfers, They must be insane, They're playing in blustery Gales and in rain. Well, let them be foolish, I'm not one to scoff; I just wish they'd hurry, So I can tee off.

-ROBERT BRAULT

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