

## ACOOSE IN BIG RACE.

The biggest professional race yet held in Winnipeg will be pulled off at Happyland on Friday evening, when three of Canada's track runners line up for a fifteen mile race. In the three cornered event will be found Paul Acoose, the Grenfell Indian, Fred Meadows, of Guelph, and Percy Sellen, the idol of Toronto.

The management of Happyland have for some time promised to bring the best men in the country to the west and if ever there was a chance for Acoose to make his name the time has come. The Indian who defeated Fred Appleby, at the Arena rink last month, and lowered the indoor record for fifteen miles, will have the real opportunity to win fame in a contest in which such noted runners are to take part.

The names of the three men have been to the front since the Marathon craze was first started and all have only joined the ranks of professional runners at a comparatively recent date. Fred Meadows, the Guelph boy, has won all kinds of money at the distance. Sellen, too, is spoken of by the eastern press, as the best fifteen miler in Canada.

In the west, however, followers of the running game look to Acoose to continue his all conquering career and break the tape on Friday night a winner. There will be another race early next week when the winner will be pitted against another long distance runner from across the border, but who it is the management are not at present willing to announce.