

# INDIANS OUT TO DEFEAT TROJANS

*"Pop" Hoping to Beat Jones Coached Eleven*

*Warner Intends Going Back to Full Spin Play*

*Change in Style Hoped to Give Tribe Deception*

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, March 31. (Exclusive)—With the opening of spring practice tomorrow, the athletic interest began to turn to football today as the sideline coaches started to discuss Stanford's chances for a great football team that would take the measure of University of Southern California.

There is no question but that the Indian eleven will once more point its way toward the Trojan outfit, determined to vanquish the southerners at any cost. It is an open secret that Coach "Pop" Warner would call it a day and close shop temporarily if one of his elevens could defeat a team coached by Howard Jones.

The Cardinals' great strength for the coming season lies in the number of experienced players who will compose the majority of the Stanford squad. These men have been filling first-string positions for the past seasons and their presence will largely determine if the 1931 Stanford gridiron machine is to be as formidable as those of the past.

Because of his wealth of experience returning to the farm Coach Warner intends to return to the full spin style of play for the first time since 1926. Heretofore "Pop's" attack has been based on the partial spin plays.

This departure from his style of execution during the last four years is intended to give Warner's teams another added advantage—that of surprise. For, with the full spin and partial spin intermingled in the plays, Warner believes it will be almost impossible for the defense to identify the ball carrier.

Other than this the Indian style of play will not vary fundamentally from that of 1930, Warner declared. But the "old fox" did not say how many variations he intends to build from the fundamentals.

Spring practice at this institution will be handicapped by the absence of several players who are out for track, baseball and other sports at present. There are at least seventy-five men expected to report tomorrow or Friday. The session will last eight weeks, with practice being held three times a week.

At the left end Phil Niell and Don Colvin will be fighting it out for the regular berth. Up to last year Warner was supposed to favor the blond wing man, but Niell's playing during the latter part of the season did not suit the old man and Colvin enjoyed the task of playing in this position. For right end there is no doubt that Bill Doub will get it over all comers. Doub is a steady player and is not apt to be sucked in on many plays.

For tackles Warner will have Chuck Ehrhorn, Grey, Laborde and Gray. The reserves in this part of the line will constitute a weakness in the Stanford squad.