Ruby master - Feature #12926

-l flag for line end processing should use chomp! instead of chop!

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**Description**

Using chop! can mess up the final line of input because it may not end in a line-end character.

```ruby
printf a\nb\nc | ruby -lne 'p $_'
```

```
*a
*b
**
```

```
$ printf a\nb\nc\n | ruby -lne 'p $_'
```

```
*a
*b
*c
```

Using chomp! works correctly in both cases.

```
$ printf a\nb\nc\n | ruby -ne '\$_.chomp!; p $_'
```

```
*a
*b
*c
```

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```

```
*a
*b
*c
```

**Associated revisions**

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[DOC] Update -l option [ci skip]

-l option has used chomp! since Ruby 2.5. [Bug #12926]
I'd consider it a bug.

https://github.com/nobu/ruby/tree/bug/12926-chomp-l

OK, accepted
This is because -l is older than chomp.

Matz.

Applied in changeset r57373.

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