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### Weekly News Summary.

**SATURDAY, Oct. 12.**—University of Minnesota football team defeated University of Nebraska by a score of 19 to 0.

**SUNDAY, Oct. 13.**—Near North Bay, Ont., two freight trains collided. Four trainmen were killed.—The thirty days period of official mourning for President McKinley expired and flags on all government buildings again displayed at full mast.—Robbers secure \$50,000 in bank notes from express car near St. Louis.

**MONDAY, Oct. 14.**—The Farmers' bank at Pinconning, Mich., raided by burglars and \$7,000 stolen.—Herr Most sentenced to jail for one year for publication of a seditious article.—Jury in the Caleb Powers case secured and trial began.—Pat Crowe writes chief of police of Omaha that he will surrender if allowed to give bail pending trial.

**TUESDAY, Oct. 15.**—The Muenchener Zeitung, Berlin, announces that President Kruger is seriously ill.—Roland B. Molineaux granted new trial by the New York court of appeals.—Democrats of Rhode Island nominate L. F. C. Garvin of Lansdale for governor.—Doctors who attended President McKinley submit report. Admit they do not know immediate cause of death.

**WEDNESDAY, Oct. 16.**—Four robbers attempted to loot bank at Evansville, Ind., but were prevented by citizens. Three robbers were wounded and captured, but fourth one escaped.—Exploding gasoline kills three at Bangor, Me.—Richmond county, O., sues estate of John Sherman for \$277,174, claimed as back taxes.—Citizens of Duluth tender Hon. Charles A. Towne a farewell banquet.—National Congressional council in session at Portland, Me., selects Des Moines, Ia., as place of holding next meeting.—Officers of Schley's flagship testify to his coolness and courage.

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**THURSDAY, Oct. 17.**—Government board of St. Louis exposition organized in Washington.—James H. Eckles makes a speech at Milwaukee and declares for the retirement of legal tenders.—Triennial convention of Episcopal church adjourns.—Congressman Joseph Cannon of Illinois declares he is not a candidate for senator.—Chiefs of police ask congress to make law defining anarchy.

**FRIDAY, Oct. 18.**—Five men killed in New York rapid transit tunnel by caving in of rock.—General Corbin issues his annual report; asks for war college, servants for officials and cable to Philippines.—Witness Culton in the trial of Caleb Powers said Taylor counseled assassination.

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#### Paragraphic Punches.

**Houston Post:** The sultan is in the hands of the doctors. More power to the doctors.

**Denver News:** Here is hoping that Sir Thomas Lipton may have better luck in lifting that New York widow.

**Philadelphia Public Ledger:** Sir Redvers Buller appears to be just the scapegoat that England was looking for.

**Pittsburg Dispatch:** Russia continues to look toward Herat, while Great Britain dare not take its gaze from South Africa.

**Washington Post:** An English physician declares that we bathe too freely. Has this particular doctor ever heard of John Most?

**Chicago News:** Instead of saying "He lies like a pirate," persons who want to be emphatic will say "He lies like the log of a battleship."

**Memphis Commercial-Appeal:** General Alger in his book seems to have hurled General Shafter at Rear Admiral Sampson. This is hardly fair.

**Chicago Record-Herald:** Nothing has thus far been brought out in the Schley inquiry to lead to the suspicion that the Spanish navy made its escape.

**Pittsburg Commercial Gazette:** It is now declared that Lord Kitchener will remain in South Africa. This seems to be just what the Boers are going to do also.

**Atlanta Constituton:** When the re-

ciprocidity managers trade off southern interests to advance those of New England, some gentlemen in the south will hasten to explain.

**St. Louis Republic:** Johann Most will serve at hard labor for one year because of seditious writing. No harder punishment could be imposed on the ordinary anarchist.

**Philadelphia Record:** The immediate labor of the ultra-protectionist newspaper is the attempt to explain away President McKinley's Buffalo speech. It is a wearying task.

**Pittsburg Post:** At a matter of fact nine Americans out of ten, native and foreign, excluding British and Scotch, are in full sympathy with the Boers. It is difficult to see how Americans can hold other opinions.

**Minneapolis Journal:** The Washington Evening Star has the story of a learned man who drifted from archaeology into the meat business and made a fortune. People can on a pin get along without their archaeology, but they seem to demand their meat.

**New York World:** Russia will spend \$50,000,000 on her navy in 1902. The Philadelphia shipyards will doubtless get a good slice of that sum, while the subsidy crowd is begging for the taxpayers' money to support the poor, feeble "infant industry" of ship-building.

**Louisville Courier-Journal:** Elaborate funeral ceremonies were held in Trenton, N. J., last week over the remains of Mrs. Bosser's pug after the deceased had lain for some time in state. Many a man in this blessed country will cheerfully provide the ceremonies if his wife or daughter will provide the dog.

**Pittsburg Dispatch:** A judgment has been given for \$200,000 against the directors of the Middlesex County bank of New Jersey on account of negligence which is alleged to have permitted an employe of the bank to get away with that amount. A few more judgments of that character would make defalcations much scarcer.

#### Lincoln in Story.

We associate in some way the memory of Abraham Lincoln with his stories. By means of them we approach perhaps nearer to the man who was the embodiment of purity, unselfishness, and honesty. There is no printed volume devoted to Abraham Lincoln where anecdotes do not give us glimpses of the man himself. In "Lincoln in Story," edited by Mr. Silas G. Pratt, there are to be found many stories gleaned from various sources, and the editor adds that "no anecdote is given which has not been fully verified." A complete life history of Lincoln is not attempted. The stories are, however, arranged in chronological order, and as the salient points of Lincoln's life are mentioned, the warp is formed on "which the various anecdotes are woven."

How did Lincoln acquire his education? When, in 1819, his father had settled at Pigeon Creek, in Indiana, and had built a rough log cabin, Abraham Lincoln went to the village school for a few weeks. During his whole life he never was altogether more than four months at school. At Gentryville Abraham's father ran up another log house, and in it there was a big fireplace, and here the lad would light a fire. He would "lie down flat on the floor, with his book in front of him, before the hearth, and thus resting on his stomach his head upon his hand, he would read and study." There was no writing paper. Fortunately there was a large wooden shovel. On this he would write, using a bit of charcoal. When the shovel was covered over with this copy, Lincoln would scrape it clean with his knife

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and begin over again. John Hanks, who worked with Lincoln in splitting rails, said:

"When Abe and I returned from work, he would get a piece of corn bread, take a book, and sit down to read while eating; when he had the chance, in the field or at home, he would stop and read, always having some useful book with him."

One remarkable autograph of Lincoln has been preserved. It was written by him when he was fourteen on the leaf of his school book:

Abraham Lincoln, his hand and pen, He will be good, but God knows when.

The first dollar Lincoln ever earned he remembered and told Mr. Seward about it. He had built a boat, and two strangers wanted their baggage carried on board of a steam-boat. It was for this service that the strangers flung him two half dollars. Lincoln added:

"I could scarcely believe my eyes when I picked up the money. You may think this a little thing in these days, and it seems to me now like a trifle, but it was an important incident in my life. . . . The world seemed wider and fairer before me. I was a hopeful boy from that time."

Lincoln was the soul of honesty. When he was keeping store, a poor woman made some small purchase. Making up his sales book he found that he had in error taken 6 cents from her. That same night the young clerk walked three miles so as to return the

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