

**100 Years Ago This Month in *The American Mathematical Monthly*
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A new work by Professor A. N. Whitehead, entitled *An Enquiry concerning the Principles of Natural Knowledge*, has been published by the Cambridge University Press 12s. 6d. The four parts of the book deal with: The traditions of science, The data of science, The method of extensive abstraction, The theory of objects. In the investigation the scientific concepts of space and time are considered as the first outcome of the simplest generalization from experience.

The interesting and attractive first two numbers of *Norsk Matematisk Tidsskrift*, the official organ of the recently organized Norwegian Mathematical Society (1919, 324) are heartily welcomed by the MONTHLY. The first number, of 32 pages, contains articles on Sylow and his scientific work, on number theory polynomials and on an elementary proof of Kepler's first and second laws, besides brief notes, problems for solution, and news of the Society (which had 375 members on February 1, 1919). As inserts are also a fine portrait of Sylow and the laws of the Society. The articles are written in Norwegian, Swedish, French, and German.

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