

Cytogenetics: (after Jackson):

How did they determine that genes existed and were on chromosomes?

On the road to the Cell Theory

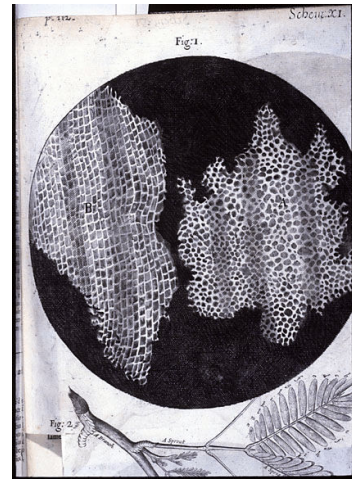


Figure 1. Hooke, Robert, 1635-1703. *Micrographia: or some physiological descriptions of minute bodies made by magnifying glasses with observations and inquiries thereupon*. London: Printed for John Martyn, 1667.



Figure 3. https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Caspar_Friedrich_Wolff
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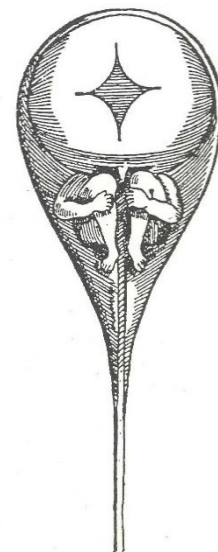
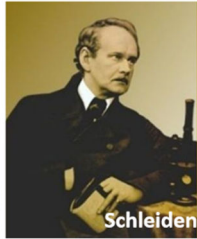


Figure 2. Nicolaus Hartsoeker, 1694, *Essai de diotropique*



Brown



Schleiden



Schwann

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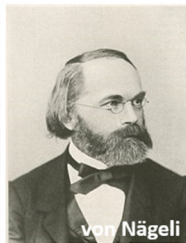
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Where do cells come from?

The cell theory



Remak



von Nägeli



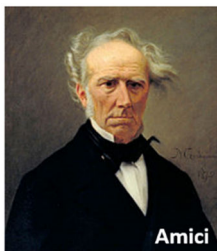
Virchow

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Robert_Remak

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Origin of new individuals



Amici

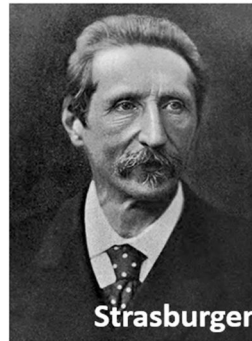
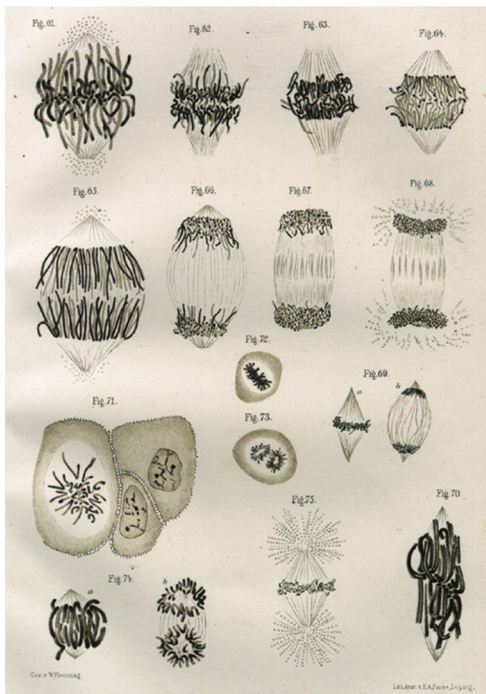


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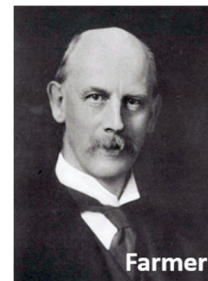
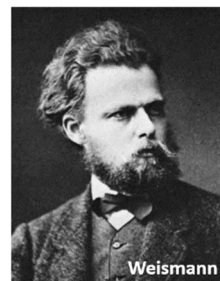
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The chromosome theory of heredity



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<https://alchetron.com/Oscar-Hertwig>
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<https://kids.britannica.com/kids/assembly/view/32294>

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Mitosis:		→		(longitudinal)
?:		→		(transverse)

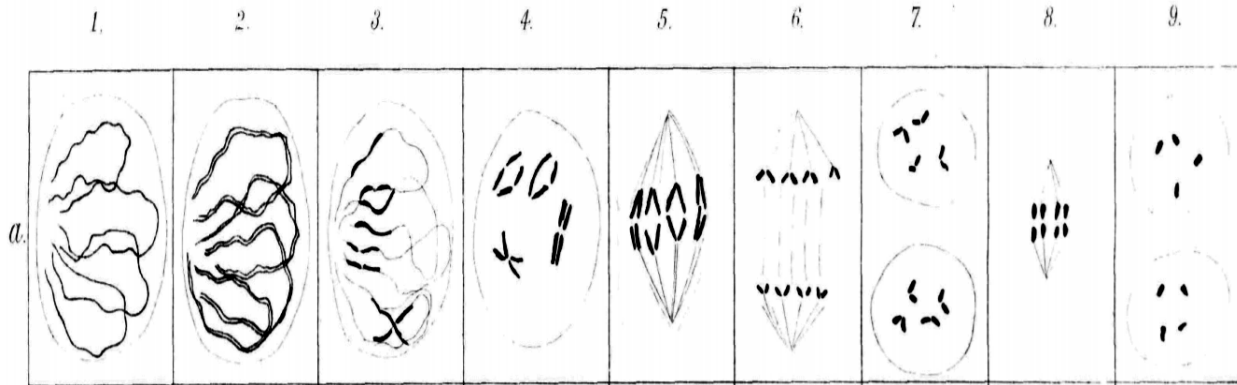


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Discovery that all chromosomes are not alike

Knew ahead of time that:

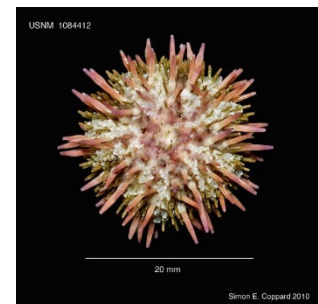
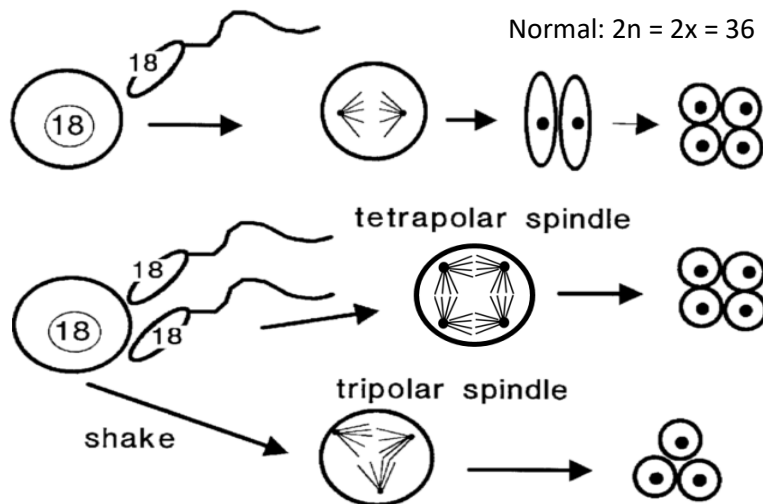
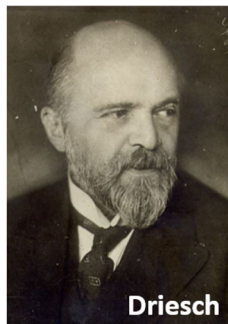


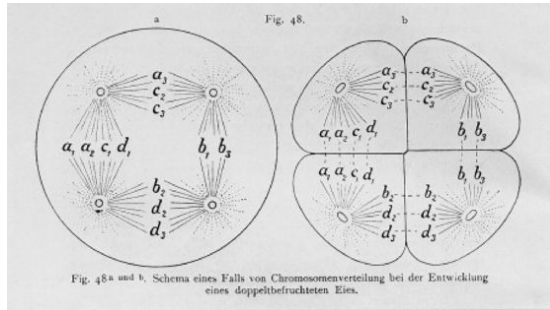
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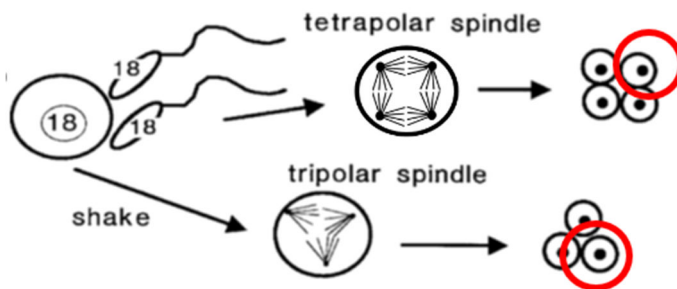
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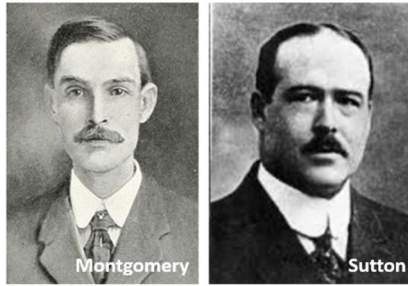
- Theodor Boveri
 - 1500 tetrapolars → 1? normal = 0.1%
 - 719 tripolars → 58 normals = 8%



- 23 tetrapolar → separated into 92 cells → 17 normal = 18%
- 34 tripolar → separated into 102 cells → 44 normal = 43%

Percent of normal gastrulae from one zygote		
	Tripolar (n = 34)	Tetrapolar (n = 23)
4		0.0
3	14.4	4.5
2	22.8	4.5
1	40.0	54.5
0	22.8	36.5

The chromosome theory of heredity



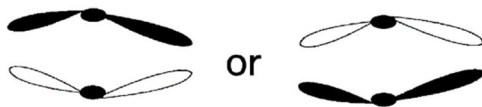
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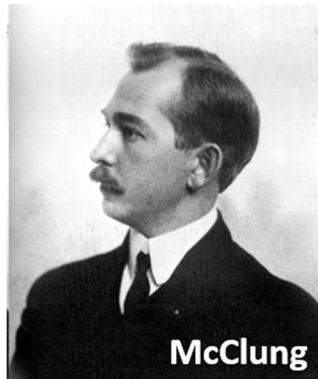


Figure 6 On the morphology of the chromosome group in *Brachystola magna*, 1902

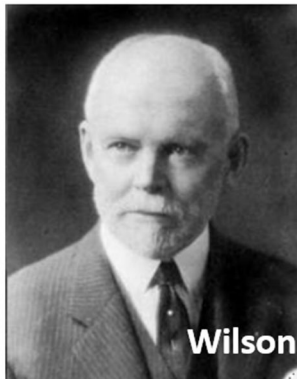
1	
2	
3	
4	
5	
6	



The sex chromosome



McClung



Wilson

<http://www.esp.org/people/>

<https://www.britannica.com/biography/Edmund-Beecher-Wilson>

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Stevens



Henking

Independent assortment

1913, 1935 – Estrella Eleanor Carothers



X = the accessory chromosome; c denotes the heteromorphic large/small



https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Eleanor_Carothers



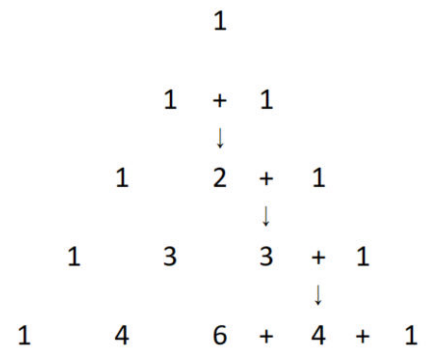
Left: X/large at top; O/small at bottom: $\frac{154}{300} = 51.3\%$

Right X/small at top; O/large at bottom: $\frac{146}{300} = 48.7\%$

Recovery of:	N	Probability	Expected	Observed
A given large chromosome	× 200	$\frac{1}{2}$	100	100
2 given large chromosomes	× 200	$\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2}$	50	46/47
3 given large chromosomes	× 200	$\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2}$	25	22/21
All large chromosomes	× 200	$\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2}$	12.5	8

What about recovery of *any* large chromosome?

Calculating probabilities



Recovery of:	Probability	Expected	Observed
Any 1 large chromosome	$4a^3b$	50	48
Any 2 large chromosomes	$6a^2b^2$	75	84
Any 3 large chromosomes	$4ab^3$	50	48
All 4 large chromosomes	b^4	12	8

Non-disjunction

Final proof that genes were on chromosomes

1913 – Calvin Blackman Bridges

- Non-disjunction as proof of the chromosome theory of heredity
- *Genetics* 1:1-53; 107-163



Figure 7.

mblhistoryproject.tumblr.com/post/130907349268/people-of-the-lab-calvin-bridges

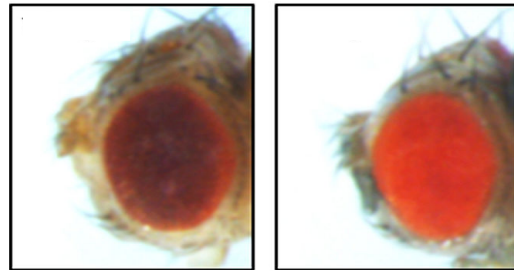


Figure 8. Red eye color in *Drosophila*. <https://bio-protocol.org/e3147>

	vermillion ♀ (<i>v/v</i>)		×	red ♂ (<i>+/Y</i>)		or	red ♀ (<i>+/+</i>)		×	vermillion ♂ (<i>v/Y</i>)	
			↓						↓		
F ₁	red ♀ (<i>+/v</i>)		+	vermillion ♂ (<i>v/Y</i>)			red ♀ (<i>+/v</i>)		+	red ♂ (<i>+/Y</i>)	
			↓						↓		
F ₂	¼ red ♀ (<i>v/+</i>)	¼ verm. ♀ (<i>v/v</i>)	+	¼ red ♂ (<i>+/Y</i>)	¼ verm. ♂ (<i>v/Y</i>)		¼ red ♀ (<i>+/+</i>)	¼ red ♀ (<i>+/v</i>)	+	¼ red ♂ (<i>+/Y</i>)	¼ verm. ♂ (<i>v/Y</i>)

Primary non-disjunction

$$v/v \times +/Y$$

↓

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} v + + \rightarrow \text{red } \text{♀} \\ v + Y \rightarrow \text{vermillion } \text{♂} \end{array} \right\} \text{normal}$$

$\frac{1}{5000} (v/v) + (+) \rightarrow v/v/+ \rightarrow$ usually dies
 $\frac{1}{5000} (v/v) + (Y) \rightarrow v/v/Y \rightarrow$ exceptional vermilion ♀
 $\frac{1}{1200} (--)+ (+) \rightarrow + \rightarrow$ exceptional red sterile ♂
 $\frac{1}{1200} (--)+ (Y) \rightarrow Y \rightarrow$ lethal

Secondary non-disjunction

vermilion ♀ (X/X/Y) × red ♂ (X/Y)

↓

♀:	96% red	4% vermilion	} exceptions
♂:	96% vermilion	4% red	

Predictions:

	Eggs - 4 types:			
♂ \ ♀	X ^v Y	X ^v	X ^v X ^v	Y
X ⁺	X ^v X ⁺ Y red ♀	X ⁺ X ^v red ♀	XXX die	X ⁺ Y exc. red ♂
Y	X ^v YY verm ♂	X ^v Y verm ♂	X ^v X ^v Y exc. verm ♀	YY die

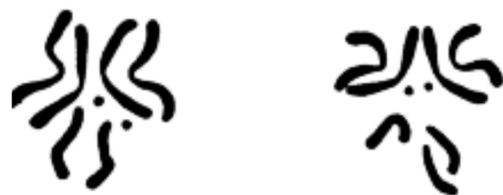
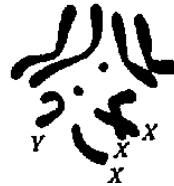


Figure 9. A normal XY (L) and an XXY daughter (R) from an exceptional mother.

1922 – Lilian Vaughn Morgan

Attached X

Figure 11. A ♀ with an attached X. Such XXXY females while regular XXX condition is lethal.



survive,



Figure 10. Wikipedia commons

The Big Picture

1932 – Recent Advances in Cytology

Cyril Dean Darlington

