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English biologist whose work helped to establish the field of theoretical biology. His 1929 book, *Biological Principles*, was the first significant analysis of theoretical biology and helped to establish the field. This was followed in 1937 by *The Axiomatic Method in Biology*, which helped to introduce a heightened degree of logical rigor to the field of theoretical biology.