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Ernst Schröder and the distribution of quantifiers.

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This article discusses "an error in Schröder's exposition of the distribution of a quantifier preceding a conditional ... , an error partially – but only partially – corrected by himself" (p. 161). After an internal and external (bibliographical) examination, the author concludes that "in view of the importance of elementary quantification, it is astonishing that most of the standard textbooks of logic appear overladen with tautologies from propositional logic while treating multiple quantification (if at all) rather sketchily and incompletely" (p. 171).

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