

Ronald Ross

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*Reputation:* 10

*Impact:* 8

*Controversy:* 1

(1857 – 1932) Spent his life trying to solve the malaria problem. Patrick Manson showed that the parasite that caused elephantiasis grew in mosquitoes. Ross proved malaria was the same. Awarded the Nobel Prize for medicine in 1902  
**AUTO WIN WITH: MALARIA TRANSMISSION**