
COLORED RUNNER DIES.

John B. Taylor Contracts Typhoid
Pneumonia.

Philadelphia, Dec. 2.—Dr. John B. Taylor, the former champion quarter-mile runner of the University of Pennsylvania, died today from typhoid pneumonia.

Taylor was the first colored man ever picked to carry the American flag on his breast in Olympic championships. He ran in the 440-metre race. In the summer of 1904 he visited England and France and won the majority of his races.
