## Murphy J. Foster, Leading Louisianian Dies at Seventy-Two Franklin, La., June 13 .- Murphy J.

Foster, collector of the port of New-Orleans, former Louisiana governor and United States senator, d'ed at his home near here Sunday morning, and his funeral took place here toda Senator Foster had been in ill health

for a long time, and in spite of his advanced age, 72 years, he made a brave fight for recovery. He has been identified with state politics for

forty years.