Please note if NAME, BUSINESS and ADDRESS correspond with your inquiry.

TAYLOR, WILLIAM J.

## Importer Cutlery.

TORONTO, Ont.

CD. 31-3400 August 12th, 1922. RECORD

530 Brunswick Ave.

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STATEMENTS

Several attempts have been made of late to obtain statement of affairs, and on recently calling at his residence, found that he has been out of the City some time on a vacation, and would likely remain awaeyfor some weeks yet.

## GENERAL INFORMATION

Since commencing on his own account, is predited with having done fairly well in a small way, and it is reported by authorities that he is in fairly easy circumstances. In financial circles the account has been well spoken of, where has always had the reputation of attending to maturing obligations in a prompt and satisfactory manner. Has been granted small accommodation, which has always been promptly retired.

TRADE INFORMATION

Is not buying from local houses. Understood to be buying in the United States and England, from where trade information is being sought.

FIRE RECORD

None. 8-12-22-21.

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