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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

AIRCRAFT ACCIDENT REPORT

Date 8/2/31

1. Place, date, and hour of accident Boston Airport 8/2/31 @ 5 P.M.

2. Airplane: Mfg. trade name Buhl Pup Type engine Lykely. Mfg. model 4-A-1 #3417 Engine No. 162

Department of Commerce License, Identification, Temporary No., State Reg. No., State Permit No. N.C. 373 Y

Manufactured by Buhl Aircraft

Rebuilt or overhauled by Ship new

Owner of airplane Sprague St.

Purchased from Northeastern Air Service (Dealer)

3. Pilot: Name Fred S. Gilley Address 158 Summer St. Boston

Age 35 Department of Commerce License No., State License or Permit No.

Class Student Permit

If pilot has no license, what was he operating under

4. Passengers: Names and Addresses

5. Result of accident to pilot none

6. Result of accident to passengers

7. Result of accident to airplane Prop broken. Rudder trailing edge & leading edge of stabilizer bent. Rudder hinges slightly bent.

8. Damage to private property or individuals none

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9. Kind of flying engaged in:

Carrying passengers..... Student instruction..... *Solo.*
Local flights..... Cross-country.....
Regular airways..... Carrying mail.....

10. Weather conditions

Visibility..... *O.K.*..... Were light beacons visible?..... *Daylight.*

11. Account of accident (include a complete, accurate account of how accident occurred, with causes in so far as can be determined):

Mr. Gilley broke shock and landing he left cockpit to examine damage to strut. In reaching to cockpit to shut off switch struck throttle. Ship taxied over edge of runway turning over.

12. Record of pilot: Approximate total flying time as pilot

abt 6 hours

Types of aircraft flown

Kelly Hawk, Buhl Kay

Previous accidents

None

13. Contributory cause, if any

None

14. Date of last physical examination

July 9/31

15. Technical data: Total flying time since last overhaul of aircraft

abt 15 hrs

Of engine

same



(Signature).....

Operator

(Signature).....

Owner

Skycorp Ltd.

To be filled out by investigator.

- 1. Cause of accident.
- 2. Finding.

(Signature).....

Inspector