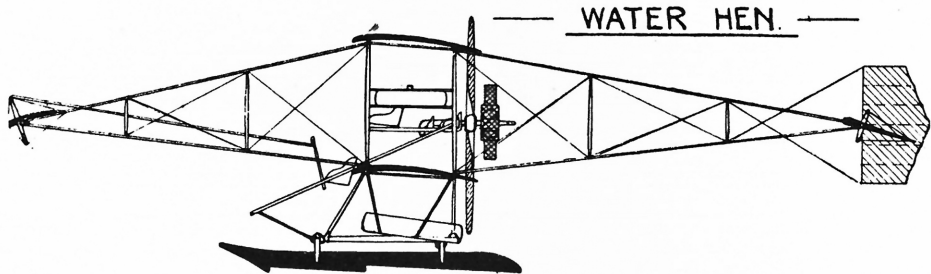


BRITISH AEROPLANES.

LAKE FLYING Co. Windermere. Established 1911, by E. W. Wakefield, with a view to hydro-aeroplane experiments. The first machine was a *Curtiss* type built by A. V. Roe, which flew in November, 1911. In 1912, a special biplane generally of *Farman* type but with more camber to the planes, was built.



Length.— $36\frac{1}{2}$ feet (11 m.) **Span.**—42 feet (12·80 m.) **Area.**—270 sq. feet (25 m.²) **Motor.**—Gnome.
Speed.—45·33 m.p.h. (72·54 k.p.h.)

The single float is 6 feet wide, flexibly connected. Balancers mounted on a spring board. Water rudders for steering at slow speed. Fuller details see *Flight*, December 7th, 1912. Early in 1913, an *Avro* was purchased for further experiments.