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Read the text about how the Wright Brothers carried out the first successful flight. Some of the lines are correct. Some have a word that shouldn't be there. Write this word in the box next to the line. If the line is correct put a tick (\checkmark) in the box. The first two lines have been done for you.

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12	which they also built themselves. Then they often	
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14	was known for its strong winds. The plane, was called	
15	The Flyer, had an old engine and wooden propellers.	
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17	plane and has started the engine.	
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