

Read the poem and then answer the questions below.

1. What does the line, "people swarm into the stands" mean? _____

2. Using details from the poem, describe a hit.

3. How do the words, "It goes wild when someone knocks, the ball beyond the fence?"
make you feel? _____

4. Why does the author say the "crowd is gay or gloomy or completely in suspense?" _____

5. Why do you think the author wrote this poem? _____
