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UNIT-5 Poem: Cloud Pictures

A. RTS-

1. The poet sees many pictures in the clouds.
2. These pictures are formed of fleecy clouds.
3. The poet sees pictures of a stately fleet of white-sailed boats and grey-winged birds in the clouds.

B. Answer the following questions briefly-

1. The poet loves to lie among the grass and watch pictures form in the clouds.
2. The 'stately white-sailed boats' are the slow and elegant boats that are formed in the clouds.
3. The poet sees the grey-winged cloud birds on the rugged crests of shining mountains.
4. The poet describes the sky at sunset very beautifully. He says that there must be fairylands over the radiant bars of the setting sun, where there are crimson-coloured islands with golden lakes, and towers revealed in the crimson light. This is all a play with imagery to demonstrate the beauty of the setting sun.
5. The poet imagines the spears of mighty armies coming to war and meeting in a thunder-clash as the lightning flash in the sky.
6. The poet calls the wind 'careless' because it blows away the clouds with the pictures that the poet likes to watch in the sky.