THE POWERS OF MEMORY.

Experience When About Drowning in the Mississippi River. Written by D. H. Myers.

There have been in the past re-

rational and intelligent being, similar situation. Though seemingly slow in its derare instances which now excite my affectionate parents; the manour wonder.

That power of mind which we cannot at the present time recol- spent; and even all my boyish to its utmost seating capacity, the Corner. lect; for instance, we make an efthing-a name perhaps-but all incident of my life seemed to ing room. our efforts to recall it are vain; glare across my recollection in The exercises all bore upon the yet that it is safely treasured up, retrograde succession. is evident from the fact that afterwards it is perfectly remembered.

form that of recollection. The a kind of panoramic review, and one may be compared to gather- and each act of it seemed to be again.

tion, but only in regard to the lat- of recent familiarity. event took place, and we, as it the right moment. were, live the event over again. From two or three other perrecollection.

sudden waking up of this slum- be compelled to contemplate our bering power of recollection, have past lives? It is truly wonderful; evening, and selected David been furnished by persons suffer- but we cannot doubt the fact when Strait, teacher of Saluvia school, ing under the influence of disease; it has been corroborated so many to fill the vacancy caused by the and, also, by those who have been times by the testimony of those regisnation of L. L. Truax, as rescued from a drowning state. who have beeen rescued from a teacher at Siloam, and Miss Dora One instance of the last named similar state. If then, such is the Deshong, to succeed Mr. Strait kind was experienced personally. power of memory, even while the at Saluvia. I will here relate, as the instance connection of the spirit with its occurs to mind as vividly as at tabernacle of flesh is not yet disthe time of its occurence:

were disporting ourselves in the happiness or misery? struggles, and before any relief to come.

reached me I had sauk far below the surface. All hope seemed to

ed to my brother and sisters, and fallen chief magistrate. call memory, seems to embrace most of all to a dearly loved wife. two distinct faculties, or opera- This, with a thousand other cir- ters of the town held a meeting, tions of the mind-retention and cumstances minutely associated and it was decided to hold a union leaf, Kansas, is visiting her sisrecollection. If we reflect a mo- with home, were the first series memorial service in the Presby- ter, Mrs. S. B. Woollet of this ing minister Rev. Lewis Cham- matrimony. ment, we see that these are quite of reflections that occurred. They terian church Sunday evening. place. distinct. We have no doubt that then took a wider range, my, When the time came the large we have retained, or laid up in school, the progress I had made audience room which had been pursuits and adventures. Thus and many persons who were a lit-

In these instances, it is very filled up with every minute and West, Rev. Wolf and Rev. Mcplain that memory performed the collateral feature; in short, the Closkey-Rev. Smith of the Reoffice of retention, or storing up, whole period of my existence formed church being absent. while, for a time, it failed to per- seemed to be placed before me in ing treasures into a storehouse, accompanied by a consciousness the other to giving them out of right or wrong, or by some reflection as to its cause or its con-Now, we have no reason to be- sequence. Indeed, many trifling lieve that the memories of differs events which had long been forent individuals differ in regard to gotten then crowded into my recthe former-the power of reten-ollection, and with the impression of Harrisonville continue serious

ter-the power of recollection. The length of time which was Memory in every individual, is a occupied by this deluge of ideas, spent a very pleasant visit with friends in Waynesboro and Chamvast storehouse, in which are or rather the shortness of time in friends in Wells Valley the latter bersburg. treasured up every action and in- to which they were condensed, part of last week. cident of his life; and, also, every | I cannot now state with precision; thought, purpose, and emotion, yet certainly but two or three which go to make up the history minutes at the most could have the home of her grandmother the home of her aunt, Mrs. John of his being. Sometimes the elapsed from the suffocation till Mrs. Lydia Minick. storehouse is suddenly unlocked the return of memory to the time and some incident, of which we of my last visit home, seemed to Pa., who had been visiting her have not thought for years, will give me an incentive to struggle aunt Mrs. Joseph Everetts recome vividly to our recollection. for life; and my struggles were turned to her home the first of These sudden recollections are crowned with success, by the aid this week. often the most vivid we ever ex- of a comrade named Port, who perience. They seem to carry us was a very expert swimmer and pulpit of the M. E. church at back at once to the time when the who had come to my assistance at Green Hill Friday evening and

Can we doubt that many such sons, who like myself, were res- an injury to her back, the result scenes are locked up in the treas- cued from a similar state, I have of falling while descending the ure house of memory, to be, at heard details of their feelings stairs at her home Saturday some future time, as vividly which resembled mine as nearly morning. brought to our recollection? All as was consistent with our differ-Most striking instances of the awaken in another world, and thus on every side. solved, what will be its power Harrisonville circuit at Green Hill, On the evening of July 23,1865, when the spirit shall be freed Friday evening and adminstered lincompany with many comrades from the body, and what will be Sacrament Sunday evening. He of the 19th Pennsylvania Cavalry, its influence on our future eternal | was accompanied by Mrs. Yocum.

Mississippi River at Baton Rouge, Such instances seem to draw Eveland, of Chambersburg. La., when suddenly I was swept aside, for the moment, the veil by a current beyond my depth, which hides the future from our nied to Green Hill Sunday mornwhile laughing at some of the aut view, and gives us some faint coning by his daughter, Miss Anna burg, Pa., is visiting his mother Episcopal church at 10,30 a. m. tics of my comrades, and in a ception of what will then be the S. S. Newman spent Saturday, and sisters, Mrs. Charlotte Hanks It was also resolved to recomstrangling condition sank beneath mighty energy of those faculties night with friends at Sipes Mill. the turbid waters. With violent, of our soul whose operations in but vain attempt to make myself this life are but as the feeble actheard, I swallowed much water, ings of infancy, in comparison Miss Sue Wampler, of Cham- is in her eighty-second year, a I was soon exhausted by my with their development in the life bersburg, are spending this week couple times a year.—Everett

Memorial Services.

Up to last Thursday evening have fled; all exertion ceased. I the news concerning the death of felt that I was drowning. From President McKinley was most the moment that all exertion had encouraging, but on Friday mornceased-which I imagine was the ing word came that he had sufmarkable instances of the powers immediate consequence of com- fered a relapse, and that the of memory in individuals; but plete suffocation—a calm feeling symptoms were very alarming. were rare, as in of the most perfect tranquillity All day long our people awaited the case of Cyrus, King of Persia, followed the previous tumultuous with great anxiety tidings from of whom it is recorded that he sensations. I no longer thought Buffalo, when, about half-past House. was able to call by name every of being rescued, nor was I in seven o'clock in the evening a soldier in the army. Another in any bodily pain. My sensations bulletin was received at the telestance is that of a young man who partook of that dull but content graph office saying, "The presi- Monday. would gather his companions ed sort of feeling which precedes deut is dying; overcome by prosaround him on Sabbath evenings the sleep produced by fatigue. tration; all hope gone." Parti- of Rays Hill spent a day in Ever- lands, shall be guilty of willful Miss Ethel R. Kendall of Ayr and repeat, for their amusement, Though the senses were thus sanship was not thought of. Ev. ett last week. the sermon he had heard in the deadened, not so the mind; its erybody felt, "He is our presimorning, almost word for word. activity seemed to be invigorated dent," and to everyone it was a We have reasons to believe that in a ratio that defies description; personal sorrow. Many of our at the county seat. these instances, though rare, are for thought rose after thought citizens lingered about the teledesigned to convey to our minds with a rapid succession that is graph office, but later bedtime some conception of that mighty not only indescribable, but prob. came and the office closed. Satpower which is possessed though ably inconceivable by any one urday morning early it was learnalmost unconsciously—by each who has not himself been in a ed that the president had died at 2.15 that morning. The court The course of these thoughts I house bell and all the church bells velopment, this faculty will yet can even now in a great measure were rung, flags were draped and put forth a power and energy far retrace; the mistake that produce put out, and many business surpassing that displayed in those ed it; the effect it would have on places and private residences for their fall and winter trade. were draped with bunting and ner in which it would be disclos. black as a token of grief for the C., is a guest of the family of Mr. hear what the farmers think aunt, Mrs. Thomas Twigg, of Kay sat and seemed to know just

Saturday morning the minis- place.

religious prase of the great cal-Not, however, in mere ontline amity, and appropriate addresses as here stated, but the picture were made by Rev. Grove, Rev.

Saluvia.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirk of Clearfield are visiting Mrs. Shirk's mother Mrs. Mary Hann.

Mrs. W. R. Speer who had been seriously ill, has regained her usual health. Milt Kline and two little sons

ly ill of malaria fever.

Miss Minnie Hallman of Marks,

Rev. Dr. Eveland occupied the Sunday evening.

Mrs. U.G. Hann is suffering from

The news of the death of our bethat is necessary to put us in pos- entconstitutions and dispositions. loved President, was received session of these treasures of the May not this be some indication with profound sorrow and expast, is an increased power of of the almost infinite power of pressions of sympathy for his memory with which we may beloved invalid wife were heard

Our school board met Saturday

Rev. Dr. Yocum conducted third quarterly conference of the and Rev. Dr. Eveland and Mrs.

Rev. Dr. West was accompa-

Personal.

Wilson College Tuesday. Comerer spent Monday in town. Don Wolfinger of Chambers-

Mr. Marcus Mellott, near Need-

burg spent Sunday at the Fulton

Miss Mary Brooks of Hancock are at Asbury Park.

week at the Pan-American. George W. Reisner is in the eastern cities purchasing goods

Mrs. Kidwell of Washington, D. and Mrs. S. M. Robinson, of this about it this year.

Mrs. L. F. skinner, of Green-

our minds, many things which we there, and the time I had miss appropriately draped, was filled Mrs. Elisworth Hendershot in

Mrs. G. W. Sipes, of Wells Valfort to remember some particular traveling backwards, every past the late, could not even find stand- ley, and sister, Mrs. David Quint- man, of Thompson township were usi Twigg was groomsman. a week at Buffalo.

Charley Scott, Loudon's hustling merchant, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Scott of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Malachi Litton of Thompson township spent last after the death of Mr. Pittman Sandy Ridge, Center county. Wednesday in town, guests of

summer vacation with his paland mother, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Samuel Parsons, formerly of this ford. rents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Rob. Paylor.

Mrs. Ellie Fryman and daughter Meta have returned home from Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Austin a week's visit among relatives and

Miss Alice Gordon of Fort Little-Miss Bessie Hampton of Hus- ton went to Bedford Tuesday and tontown, is spending the week at expects to remain sometime in R. Fisher.

Rev. and Mrs. George W. Mc-Ilnay of Clearfield county are visiting Mrs. McIlnay's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Doran, at Burnt Cabins.

Mrs. Adaline McMichael of Hart- the Jewish calendar, the succeedford City, Indiana, are visiting ing ones being the Yum Kippur, their sister, Mrs. James Hess, of the Day of Atonement, on the 28, Licking Creek township.

Washington House in this place.

City last Thursday morning, and will visit the large wholesale from the seashore, the mountains houses in the city before he re. and European trips in time to turns and buy a lot of new goods. open their homes before the new Truax.

Mrs. B. F. Shives of Laurel year's day. Ridge spent from Saturday until Monday with her aunt Mrs. Peter Gordon at Fort Littleton, Mrs. Gordon expects to start next Monday for Nebraska where she will spend the winter with her brother.

Mr. John F. Johnson, of Laidig, is spending a couple weeks with his mother on Timber Ridge, Mr. Johnson gave us a beautifdl specimen of ore that abounds on his farm. It is a hard substance by the assasination of President Illinois this week where she will iron ore .- Hancock Star.

Mrs. D. B. Nace and her sister rule to visit his aged mother, who 10 a. m. and 1 p. m.

Our Sportsmen Must Be Careful.

Miss Ruth West returned to It behooves our hunters to be The eighth annual reunion of Bold Attempt to Hold Up Paygame animals, after public notice address of welcome, Prof. C. E. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fields and ing \$5 for each offense."

The farmers are well posted on In the afternoon addresses will his men. pecially against those hunting Sipes, Esq. out of season. As a rule the sea son in this county opens up about two months before the law says it does, at least some of our hunt-

Paylor-Pittman.

bers near Big Cove Tannery, Wed-Dr. George Robinson of Wash- Pittman, to Samuel C. Peck, and and prosperous future.

Jewish New Year.

'At sunset last Friday evening the Jewish New Year, or Rosh town is employed at Dr. S. S. Hashana was ushered in. According to their chronolgy they are just beginning the year 5662. By our chronology, which is that given in the margins of the bible, has been ill the past week. Dr. fhis year is 5905.

The New Year's holiday ran out the world.

A feature of the service is the Mrs. Mary C. Atkinson and first of a series of fall holidays in teaching. and Succoth, the Feast of Taberof Bedford, spent from Sunday first named are known as the Deshong's. until Tuesday with Mr. Fisher's high holy days. On these days work, and the members of the J. K. Johnston left for Atlantic faith, with but few exceptions, attend religious services, returning

Day of Humiliation and Prayer. At a meeting of the pastors and officers of the several McConnellsburg churches, held at the close of the union services last Sabbath evening, it was resolved, in compliance with the proclama- in this township. tion of President Roosevelt, to observe Thursday, September 19, as a day of humiliation and pray er in view of the sore calamity day at David Kline's. which has befallen the country which resembles both copper and McKinley. Accordingly, a union service, to which all are invited, Mr. A. B. Hanks, of Chambers will be held in the Methodist Sunday at George Decker's.

and daughers, of North Spring mend that all places of business street. Mr. Hanks makes it a be closed between the hours of front of his office. It makes a

> John Hoopengardner went back to Riddlesburg Tuesday.

more careful after the game sea the Fulton County Veterans' As-Ed Schollenberger spent two son opens up. Under the old sociation will be held at Crystal or three days in town this week. game laws the farmers had to Springs, Friday, September 27, George Fraker and Walter M. prove damage when bringing The order of exercises will be as suits for trespass, but now any follows: At 10 o'clock the sol. at Mt. Dallas at 9.45 o'clock last person "trespassing on any cul- diers will be formed in line for tivated land for the purpose of parade by the Chief Marshall, M. hunting and trapping, and taking M. Barton. Then will follow therefrom any game birds or prayer by Chaplain S. B. Houston; dlesburg, Bedford county. thereof, such notice to be posted | Wishart: presentation of a flag to Dr. and Mrs. J. Grant Hanks on and adjacent to such cultivated the Veterans' Association, by trespass, and in addition to the township-presentation speech of the company at Riddlesburg. James A. Stewart, Greenhill's damage recoverable by law, shall to be made by Hon. D. H. Patterpopular landlord, spent Monday be liable to the owner, occupant son, and acceptance on behalf of H. Kay, manager of the Morrisor lessee in a penalty not exceed the veterans, by Dr. Wm. L. Mc. dale Coal Company, of Coaldale, Kibbin.

this new law, and we have heard be made by Hon. Thad Mahon, Edward Palmer and Lemuel a number of them state that they Hon. John M. Reynolds, Hon. W. Mann of Warfordsburg spent last would take the benefit of it, es Scott Alexander and John P.

Campfire at night.

Yeagel-Parsons.

ers seem to think so, but we will 21, 1901, at the home of the bride's into the coach where Lauder and Center county, Pa., Mr. Samuel where to pick out their men. Yeagel of the same county, and Without a moment's hesitation Miss Ida Gertrude Parsons of one of the men walked up to Lau-At the residence of the officiat. Hagerstown, Md., were united in der, pulled a revolver from his

Watson and Ellis Lynch spent nesday September 11, 1901, Mr. by Rev. E. V. Brown, of Fairview powder burned it. Luckily, how-Sunday at the home of Mr. and George W. Paylor, son of Mr. and M. E. Church, Altoona, in the ever, the bullet just grazed his Mrs. William Paylor of Ayr town | presence of a goodly number of | forehead. | Quick as a flash Lauship and Miss Maggiella Pittman relatives and friends. Miss Louie der whipped out his own revolver daughter of the late George Pitt. Pfontz was bridesmaid and Sam. and taking direct aim, fired at the

er, of Huntingdon, are spending united in matrimony. The young A sumptuous repast was serv. him between the eyes, killing people have our best wishes. It ed, following which, the happy him instantly, may be stated here that Rev. couple departed on a trip to Will-Chambers married the granfather | iamsport, Milton, and other places of the bride, Mr. Jacob Mellott in the locality where Mr. Yeagel second look at his comrade, the to his third wife; he married was born and raised. They will first ran from the train, jumped her father and mother, George be gone for two weeks, when they to the side of the track, and fled Pittman and Emma Mellott, and will return to make their home at up the mountain road. Kay, with

Mrs. Sarah and Miss Ella Pitt- Dodson, who is since dec saied; he ple, and will have the best wishes figure, but neither took effect. married the bride's sister, Julia of their many friends for a bright

Licking Creek.

Miss Ella Kline is spending this week with her mother.

Mr. Joe Lake of Pleasant Ridge Hoop is his physician.

Sheridan Deshong and Erner over Saturday and Sunday and Truax have had corn cuttings. holdup and subsequent killing of was observed by the Jewsthrough | Quite a number of neighbors

blowing of the Shefar, or Ram's opened Monday. We hope the Choice. Horn. Rosh Hashana marks the teachers will do their best in

> Mr. Geinger spent last Saturday and Sunday with his friend Miss Katherine Metzler.

Lake Garland and family spent Mr. and Mrs. John R. Fisher, nacles, on the 28th inst. The two several days last week at Joseph

Joseph Deshong, who has been sister, Mrs. S. B. Woollet at the there is a general cessation of sick for some time, is no better. Mrs. Cutchall is still very ill. Ira Deshoug has been on the

> Miss Fannie Strait spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Erner

> Miss Jessie Mason of McConnellsburg is visiting at Henry Deshong's at Sipes Mill. Emory Pittman of Harrisonville

> spent one day last week with Miss Linna A. Deshong. Wm. Sipe of Buck Valley spent

> Rev. Yocum and wife spent last Friday night at Jacob Strait's. Mrs. Isaac Layton spent Satur-

> Mrs. Jenuie Daniels leaves for spend some time visiting friends. T. I. Sipes and family spent

Preaching at Siloam next Sunday night, September 22.

Dr. Hoop has a street lamp in light for quite a distance, and is an accommodation to those who have to call for the Doctor on dark nights; also, to those who pass by. I to anything of the kind a

ROBBER KILLED.

master on Train at Mount Dallas.

A desperate attempt was made Saturday morning to reb and kill Paymaster William Lauder of the Colonial Iron Company, of Rid-

Mr. Lauder had gone to Bedford early that morning and when the bank was opened drew cash to the amount of \$5,488 with He was accompanied by Mr. R. who had also drawn \$1,800 to pay

After getting their money, the two men left town at once, boarding the 9.25 train.

When the train stopped at Mt. Dallas to change engines, it was boarded by two men with blackened faces and wearing false On Wednesday evening, August beards. They climbed hurriedly pocket, and fired point blank at The ceremony was performed Lauder's face, so close that the other bandit. The bullet struck

The dead robber fell across the aisle, and without waiting for a revolver in hand, pursued him married the widow to John W. Both are excellent young peo- and fired two shots at the fleeing

The dead man was carried from the train, where he was identified ington, D. C., is taking his annual he also married the groom's father The bride is a daughter of Prof. as William Fry, a negro of Bed-

G. B. Cooper, a sewing machine agent, was arrested at Bedford at 5.30 Saturday evening, by Po. Miss Sadie Fohner of Huston- liceman Sam Stiver, charged with being an accomplice in the holdup. When arrested he was blacking his shoes and had on an old suit of clothes which were very badly torn and dirty.

Mrs. D. A. Raegan, wife of Engineer Raegan, of Altoona, was an eye wittness to the attempted the negro. Accompanied by her helped them. Lots of corn cut. 3-year-old son Cyril, she was re-The schools of this township turning from a visit at Manns

> "I saw Lauder get on the train at Bedford," she said. "He took the seat immediately back of me. When the train stopped at Mount Dallas some one called attention to two negroes running down the track toward the train, and I looked around at them. One of them came up the step. As he came in, without even saying a word to anyone, he shot at Mr. Lauder. I was afraid the bullet would strike my little boy, but it passed over his head and imbedded itself in the side of the car. The sprinters flew down and over

"Mr. Lauder had by this time drawn his revolver and he shot at the negro, hitting him, as I afterward saw, in the head. The fellow fell on the car steps. I never saw such a wicked expression on a few days last week with friends a man's face as there was on the

Women and children ran out of the front door of the car. As I picked up my boy and went to the other side of the car to get out of range, I heard some one say that Lauder had gotten the negro. Some one else, I think it was a trainman, fired two shots at the other negro, who started to run to the mountain side.

"Lauder was all wrought up over the shooting, but every one congratulated him on getting the negro. Lauder said he had the money to pay his men in the satch-el that was lying on the seat, and that the men had evidently seen him get it and had followed him to Mt. Dallas. They wanted to rob him. I never want to get as clean