

## Strange Amnesia

Four weeks ago I wrote a letter and gave it to the tax office of the municipality of Horw, then I went to the Coop to buy a packet of household paper, put the change the cashier gave me in my wallet and lost my memory. When I unlocked the door to my flat, picked up the packet of household paper and put it in the cupboard, the memory came back, the wallet was still there, how I went back I don't remember.

A week later my husband sent me to Psychiatry Lucerne for this incident. Yesterday at 19:00 until today at 00:50 I slept a few hours, 1:00 - 3:00, drew for two hours and then took off my trousers again and went to bed until 6:00. When I went to the ward refreshed to get my morning medication, Paula, who was on night duty, asked me, "Didn't you sleep well all night?" I replied, "I slept well!" Paula said, "We saw you in the cafeteria half an hour ago!" Surprised, I noticed you were dressed in long trousers and asked, "Did you see anything unusual?" She said, "No."

I went over to the terrace and spoke to a patient of the same age about it. She said it wasn't dangerous and had experienced it herself She had been through it, couldn't remember it for two days, woke up two days later and found she had painted a wall with pictures.