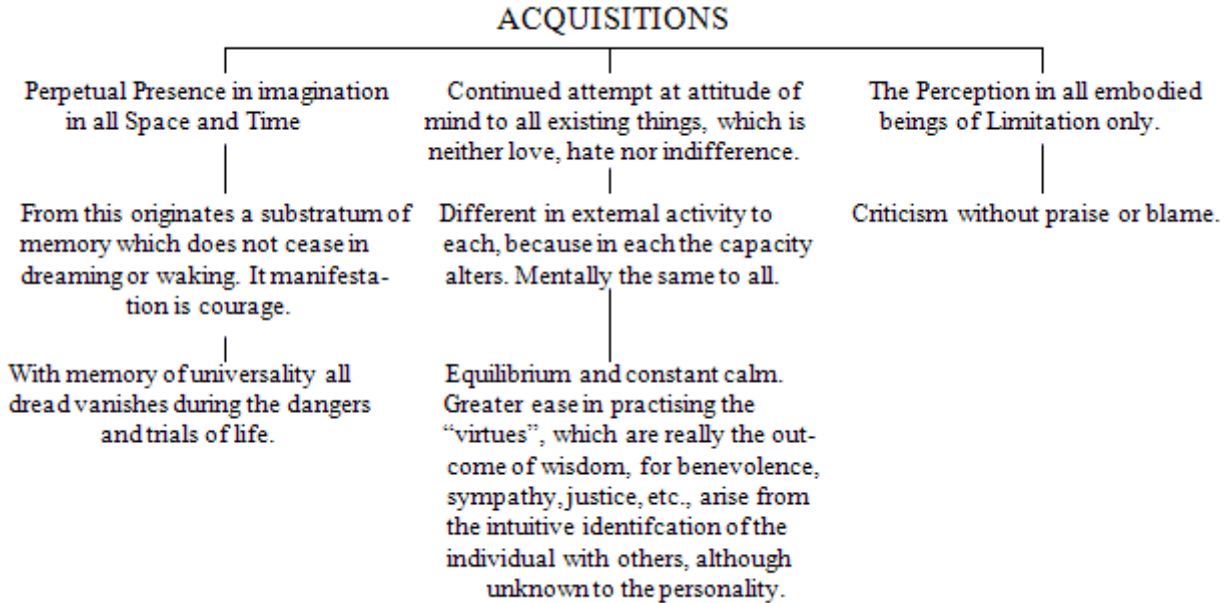


H.P.B.'s Diagram of Meditation

First conceive of UNITY by Expansion in space and infinite in Time.

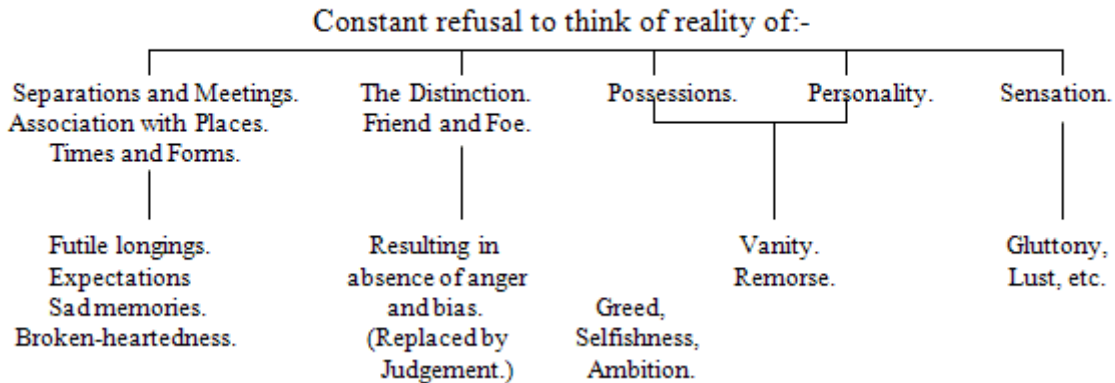
(Either with or without self-identification).

Then meditate logically and consistently on this in reference to states of consciousness. Then the normal state of our consciousness must be moulded by: –



Note: *Acquisition is completed by the conception "I am all Space and Time". Beyond that ... (It cannot be said).*

DEPRIVATIONS



Note: *These deprivations are produced by the perpetual imagination – without self-delusion* – of "I am without"; the recognition of their being the source of bondage, ignorance and strife. "Deprivation" is completed by the meditation: "I am without attributes".*

*) There is no risk of self-delusion if the personality is deliberately forgotten.

General Note: All the passions and virtues interblend with each other. Therefore the diagram gives only general hints.

[Apparently the diagram was part and parcel of esoteric instruction of H.P.B., as recorded by E. T. Sturdy.]