

CLEVER ATHLETES.

The Chautauqua School of Physical Education and the Delsarte Class Give a Fine Program.

The exhibition last night in the Amphitheater by the Chautauqua School of Physical Education aroused enthusiasm on account of the finished work and variety in the program. A space was cleared of seats in front of the platform and a wire hung for walking. On the platform the horizontal bars were erected, and the parallel bars were also placed there. The Swedish educational gymnastics were given in the cleared floor space. Throughout the exhibition the lively airs of the orchestra added to the effect. The Amphitheater was filled, including the choir seats.

Dr. George A. May gave an exhibition of club swinging which procured continued applause. He executed many difficult movements to the rhythm of a lively waltz, and was encored.

The Chautauqua team, consisting of Dr. George A. May, A. H. Sharpe, R. G. Clapp, Robert Hinton, Charles Sutor, Charles Freeman, W. L. Anderson, C. L. Stallard, C. W. Mayser, Frank Ewerhard, Perry Payne and Henry S. Anderson, gave difficult feats on the horizontal bars. Each man was applauded in turn, and honors were even. It was the same with the work on the parallel bars.

Charles A. Mayser showed how easy it is to walk a slack wire when one thoroughly understands it. He did the usual balancing and turning. Then he twirled Indian clubs, and after that juggled three clubs while on the wire. The audience appreciated this act.

Miss Clara Zumstein portrayed Spanish gymnastics in graceful movements, to the accompaniment of violin and piano. She was called back to bow.

The Amazon and Eastern Temple drill by the Delsarte class came next, in which were Miss Zumstein, Miss Randall, Miss Brown, Miss Spekt, Miss Mason, Mrs. Watson, Miss Dowell and Miss Wilson. This was a drill which held the attention of the audience.

There was some pretty tumbling by the Chautauqua team, and the audience enjoyed it thoroughly. Dr. May and Mr. Sharpe were a team to do tumbling, and Mr. Freeman, Mr. Sutor and Mr. Stallard formed another. There were many hard movements cleverly executed by both of these teams.

Twenty young women, under the supervision of Mr. Jakob Bolin, gave a Swedish educational drill, which pleased the people because of its snappy work. There were various movements, including marching and counter-marching. Mr. Bolin and his class received much applause.

It would be difficult to mention any particular work as excelling, either individually or in classes. Some of the horizontal and parallel-bar work was exceptionally good, however. These men were in charge of Mr. Henry S. Anderson, and are nearly all teachers. Dr. William G. Anderson, in charge of the physical work at the school, made the announcements. Only a few classes of the school were represented last night. There will be another exhibition, in which more classes will take part.