

MOVIE PAGE



Harold and Carl "Alfalfa" Switzers

MOVIE SHORTS

Do you know what movie shorts are? I am sure you have seen some. A short is sometimes a comedy, a newsreel, a revue or program of songs and dances, and such other small features which make a movie program complete.

These shorts are interesting. They make you feel rested after



Little Juanita Quigley

seeing a long picture. They give variety to the program. Most of them are so good that you wish they were not so short, but of course, their shortness make them seem very good indeed. Many important studios spend a lot of money in making good shorts, because they know that people who go to shows are not satisfied when the shorts are not good.

The "shorts" have many fine players. Mickey Mouse is one. So is Popeye, the sailor. Then there are dogs and monkeys and even birds who play in shorts. There are also many pretty children who cannot stand working for a long time and so are just right for short features. On this page you will meet some of them. These boys and girls are members of "Our Gang," and they do comedies for MGM studios. Don't you think they are very pretty? The boy and girl dressed in their best clothes are

Darla looks very cute in her long, white pants and nice sweater. Scotty is holding a flower against Darla's breast. He thinks that the flower makes Darla prettier still.

I wonder if you know how to sing and how to play the guitar. Harold and Carl "Alfalfa" Switzers, can do both. They sing very well about the country and the cowboys. They each have a musical instrument with which to accompany their song. These brothers are also in "Our Gang" comedies. Have you ever seen them play?

In beautiful Chinese pajamas, little Juanita Quigley lays herself down to rest. But before doing so, she kneels and prays for health and happiness. Little Jane seems to have both, for she is not only a pretty, healthy little girl, but she also earns a great deal of money for herself and her family. When she grows up, she will be a rich girl. Don't you wish you were in her place?



Scotty Beckett and Darla Hood