

**Forest and Range . .**

**Editor's Note:** Under the heading Forest and Range members of the Heppner Ranger's office will keep the public informed on matters of interest relative to the Forest Service in this area. It is the aim of the contributors to have something in each week until the fire season, at least, and even then if there is one who can find time for it.

Plans have been made in the last week for our annual spring maintenance of 17 1/2 miles of telephone line, 104 miles of trail and 405 miles of forest roads, all on the Heppner Ranger district. Blade maintenance work on roads will be done by a crew from Pendleton and will use a patrol grader.

Post and pole permits have been issued recently to Jeff Walker, E. C. Dougherty and Harry Dinges. In addition to some for his own use, Cliff Dougherty is getting out some poles to repair the corrals and fences at the Rodeo grounds.

The last trip in to North Jones Prairie to measure the depth and water content of the snow will be made next week. This is the third measurement to be made this winter.

Sylvia McDaniels has been employed to work in the Heppner Ranger district office as clerk for the coming summer. She will start the first of April. Sylvia has worked for the Forest Service for the last two summers as lookout.

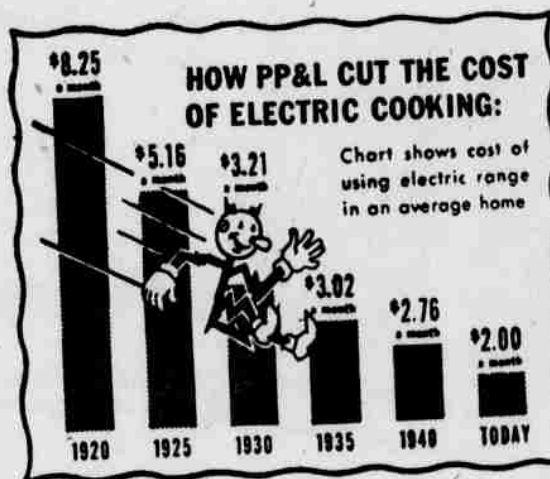
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