Cheese Straws - Billie Ann Segler

- 1 lb. sharp cheese
- 1 stick butter or oleo
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1 teaspoon baking powder
- 2 cups flour (unsifted)
- 1/4 teaspoon red pepper
- ½ teaspoon paprika



Grate cheese, melt butter, and cool; pour over grated cheese. Sift flour and other dry ingredients together. Add to cheese and butter mixture. Mix well. Put in a cookie press and cut off into about 2" straws on an ungreased baking sheet. Place in a 375° oven and bake about 12 to 15 minutes, or until peaks are light brown.

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