December 3, 1956

# Town of Central

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At the regular monthly meeting of the Town Council held December 3 at 7 P. M. the following were present: Mayor S. C. Carson, Councilmen C. B. Lesley, J. Clec bolding, J. J. Canup, F. E. Young, J. G. Center and C. B. Bryan.

The meeting was called to order and the minutes of the November meeting were read. J. G. Center made a motion that the minutes be adopted, F. E. Young 2nd this motion and the vote was unamious.

The Mayor asked Mr. Bolding to bring the Council up to date on the work at the cemetery. He stated that the work was almost complete and after all bills are paid a blance of about $50.00 will be left. The Council agreed that this job was well done and the Cemetery is in good shape. The surveying of the cemetery will be started as soon as possible. Mr. Stevenson will be contacted about this. A discussion of the cost of lots followed. Donald Shereiff and Bennett Lesley had spoken for lots before the price increase and they will get these lots at the old cost. More information on the cost of lots will be gathered fore the next meeting. Mr. Bolding asked about a charge for putting up a monument, the Mayor asked that he see about putting up a sign up telling anyone that is doing work to come by the Town Office.

A round table discussion on Business License Ordianance followed. An ordinance that had been worked up at a previous meeting was given to each member. C. B. Bryan moved that we adopt this ordinance, a 2nd was made by F. E. Young and the Council voted unamiously.

The Mayor reported that all new street lights had been installed. It was reported that everyone is complianing about the lights not being bright enough. The cost of our present light is $1.40 each, the next size bulb is $1.80 each.

Mr. Canup asked about the hose we need for our fire truck. The Council said that a dry rack was needed and Mr. Carson will fix a dry rack in the building. The prices of hose will be checked and presented at the next meeting. Foe says they will put couplings on our hose if we will send it over.

The Mayor reported he had talked with Brown of the Public Service Commission about our telephone system. Brown said a hearing was to be Thursday. If we do not hear something soon Brown will be called again. A discussion on the independent system in Simpsonville was carried on and after we hear from Brown someone will go to see this system.

Financial statements were given to all members and the financial statment of the Commission was read.

The Council talked of our Police officers and J. Clec Bolding made a motion that we give Mr. Lawrence and Mr. West a gift certificate for $20.00 each. F. E. Young 2nd this motion and the Council agreed.
Mr. Lesley said if we asked Fred Williams to send us a patrolman, he was sure he would.

The meeting then adjourned.

S. C. Carson, Mayor

Sara S. James,
Clerk & Treas.