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These are the Laura No. 1, the Leeman, the Victory, Tinally No. 1 and Laura No. 2.
Tinally No. 1 and Laura No. 2 will be drilling within fifteen days.
Laura No. 1 is about six miles north of Pecos; the Leeman is drilling in Loving County, northwest of Pecos; the Victory is drilling in Ward County, about twelve miles east of Pecos. Laura No. 2 will be drilled on Section 69, Block 4, immediately north of Pecos, and Tinally No. 1 will be drilled on Section 20, Block C-16. south of Pecos.

All are deep test wells, drilling with fully equipped standard rigs, capable of drilling more than 4000 feet, and constitute a thorough test of the famed Pecos oil fields. The locations of these wells give an adequate idea of the vast acreage controlled in the Pecos field by the Sunshine Oil Corporation.

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the occasion. Cutting the bridal cake
Raymond Honaker cut the ring, Mrs.
C. A. Pearson a dime, Lon Robbins
a thimble.
BUSINESS LOT FOR SALE
susness corner, on Main or Oal
streets, only one block from the
Court House for $\$ 800$ cash, if take
this week.

## FOR SALE

126 Acres in Middle of Sec. One, Block C= 19, for Quick Sale. At This Office.

## CENTRAL HOTEL

WILL OPEN FOR BUSINESS APRIL 20. WITH NEW FURNITURE AND NEW MANAGEMENT. SPECIAL RATES BY THE WEEK.
LEE JOHNS, Proprietor

