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there is an "outside possibility" that there may be an unrecorded old pipe line in the ground from which the water is coming-

Bishop said that if present investigations by the Dominguez Water co. don't turn up anything significant, he would

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ask the subdivider to have a | the Dominguez line. qualified soil engineer (Donald Warren co.) make a further check and that the builder's bond would be held up until the city was thoroughly satisfied.

Dominguez Water co., said that partment, doubted whether the the firm is checking the matter leak was in the city's water line. but that it doesn't sound too He said that none of the obvi

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Jim McKay, engineer for dent of the Torrance Water delogical that there is a leak in ous indications of such a leak

had shown up. He assumed that since the area was a fill, there was an underlying clay cap which prevented the water from draining

Bishop still maintained that since underground water is

normally 100 feet below the surface in such an area and since Mrs. Keller's lot does not appear as a low spot according to the map, the most obvious thing that comes to mind is a leak somewhere.



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