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Physical Description: .5 Linear Feet(approximately 500 4x5 and 2x3 negatives; 1 box unprocessed)
Date (inclusive): 1949-1952
Language of Material: English
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Scope and Contents
This collection contains approximately 500 4x5 and 2x3 negatives taken for the Dominguez Water Company in the early 1950s. The images document the construction of water infrastructure in eastern Torrance, the unincorporated area that is now Carson, North Long Beach, and Compton. There are also projects relating to the laying of pipe in new housing developments. Other images include the Water Company's plant, staff events (sponsored baseball team and Christmas party) machinery, pipes, pipe installation, pumps, ditching, Dominguez Water Reservoir, valves, boosters, fittings, Worthington Water Works Engine, pipes along Wilmington Ave in Long Beach with oil wells in the background and many other subjects.

Immediate Source of Acquisition
Donated by the Dominguez Water Corporation.

Related Materials
For related material please consult the Dominguez Water Corporation Collection

Subjects and Indexing Terms
Water--Distribution
Torrance (Calif.)
Long Beach (Calif.)
Oil wells--California--Los Angeles
Photographs
Water-pipes