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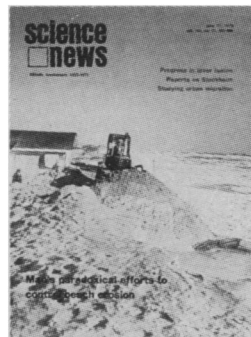
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Progressive narrowing of the beach at Cape Hatteras may be caused, paradoxically, by efforts to stabilize it and prevent erosion. New policies for managing barrier beaches are suggested by certain environmental scientists. See p. 396. (Photo courtesy Robert Dolan)

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