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An unusual "tongue" of land and other coastal landslides along the southeastern coast of Panama (approximately marked 7°N, 77°W) created by earthquakes 6.7 and 7.0 on the Richter scale in September 1976. Approximately 54 square kilometers of mature tropical forest was denuded at this time. For scale, trees average 30 to 35 meters in height. See page 997. [Nancy C. Garwood, Loyola University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois]