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The author first gives a concise definition of cartography and human geography.

He then presents some brief observations on geographical names in Latin America, a subject which falls exclusively within the competence of the various members of the United Nations Group of Experts and on the influence which the geographical names in question have in the social, cultural and economic spheres.

Observations of a popular nature regarding the need for standardization are also included in order to make this specific phase of the work and its objectives comprehensible to the layman.

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