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The following information from the Registry of the International Court of Justice has been communicated to the Press :

At the public hearings of the International Court of Justice held from Tuesday, September 26th, to Friday, September 29th, in the Colombian-Peruvian Asylum Case, the representatives of the Government of Colombia, Professor Yepes and Minister Vasquez, presented their arguments in support of their country's case. They argued that the Government of Peru was bound, under international law and particularly under the different multilateral treaties to which the two contesting States are parties, to deliver a safeconduct for M. Victor Raul Haya de la Torre, a Peruvian national who was granted asylum in the Colombian Embassy at Lima.

During subsequent hearings which will begin on Monday, October 2nd, at 4 p.m., the representatives of Peru will argue the case for their Government.

The Hague, September 29th, 1950.