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Dear Professor Barth,

The 12th General Council of our Alliance of Reformed Churches throughout the world holding the Presbyterian system, is to be held at Cardiff from 23rd June to 2nd July 1925. It will be attended by representatives from all parts of the world, and we shall discuss questions of great interest and importance. On Thursday, 25th June the topic for discussion is as follows: "Is a common Statement of Faith (Creed or Confession) desirable or practicable for the Reformed Churches of the world?" (Ob ein gemeinschaftliches Glaubensbekenntnis oder Konfession wünschenswert oder möglich ist für die reformierten Kirchen der Welt?) We propose to have this dealt with by speakers from America and Great Britain and the Continent of Europe. Your name has been very strongly suggested to us as that of a theologian deeply interested in this matter and one whose words would have exceptional weight. Therefore, we most earnestly invite you to give an address of 20 minutes, possibly longer, on the above question. We are aware that it might be difficult for you to get away from

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