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REACH FOR THE SKY!

British Airways' "Gateway to Europe" became the Gateway to the Stars when American astronaut Tom Stafford made the city a recent stopover point.

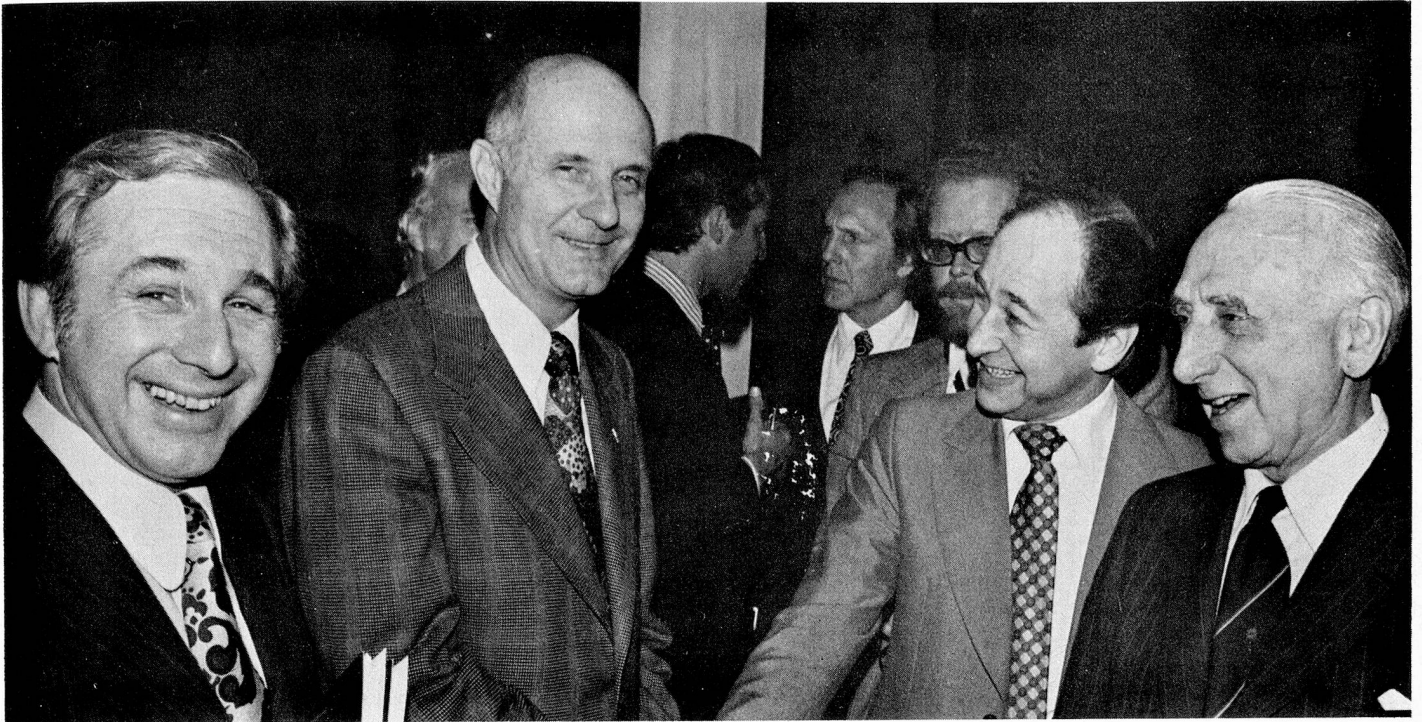
Stafford — Commander of the joint Apollo-Soyuz mission — was in Switzerland for talks with the Omega watch company on the special

speedmaster watches used by American astronauts.

At a welcome reception in Basle, British Airways' District Superintendent Mr Tony Wadlow seized the opportunity to inform Commander Stafford that when the veteran astronaut went to the moon on a previous space mission, he covered the equivalent of British Airways'

entire route network — half a million miles.

Pictured from left to right are British Airways District Sales Superintendent, Mr Werner Horn; astronaut Tom Stafford; British Airways District Superintendent, Mr Tony Wadlow, and the Chairman of the British Jewellery and Giftware Export Council.



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