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Rossiter Lecture

**Change of Date,
now Wednesday 4th May**
**Due to unforeseeable circumstances
this lecture has had to be rescheduled.**

Simon Richards FRPSL will give the lecture
entitled **'The Influence of Military History on
Postal History: Anglo-French Rivalry in the
Caribbean'**

**at the RPSL Abchurch Lane at 5:00 pm on
Wednesday 4th May 2022.**

Book your free non-transferable ticket by
emailing Rex Dixon FRPSL
rexdixon@btinternet.com

Tickets for 28th April have been cancelled,
please book, or re-book, for 4th May.

The Trustees apologise for any inconvenience
this change has caused.

Award to Michel Houde

The Herbert Dubé Lectureship Award, the
Philatelic Specialists Society of Canada's
highest award, has been given to Michel
Houde by the PSSC, following the
publication of his book **British Consulate
Post Office at Bangkok 1855 to 1885**,
published by the Stuart Rossiter Trust.

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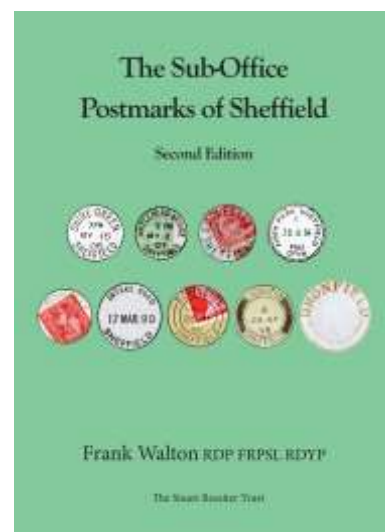
Frank Walton RDP FRPSL

The philatelic world lost a stalwart hard-
working friend and pillar of our community
on Friday 1st April 2022, when Frank died
after a short illness. The Trustees extend
our condolences to Liz and their family.

He was Chairman of the London 2022
Organising committee, a past President of
RPSL, Editor of the London Philatelist (2001-
2015) and author of several books published
by the Royal.

He gave the Stuart Rossiter Lecture in 2018
"Should aerophilately be a subset of postal
history?" (The presentation slides are
viewable on the Trust's website.)

Frank was the author of 'The Sub Office
Postmarks of Sheffield' which was published
on-line, at Frank's request, as he thought it
would generate more information on the
subject. He was correct, and the 2nd Edition
was published in 2021. It is available as a
free download from www.rossitertrust.com



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