

P.S. You might be interested to know
that 'Possidete Sord' has just been
published in America. They say it has
High Tree, but my wife
Park Lane, is difficult to
Ashtead, Surrey. get hold of
reprints!

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Dear Miss Wilkinson

It has my kind regards
of you to send me the
5/- stamp book. I feel
that you are letting me
have the George Eliot book
for my little and I am
sure that I should have
had to pay more elsewhere!
Anyway I am most grateful.

Yes, I have got both the
Henson biographies you mention
- George Eliot & the Brontës -
both very good, I think. What
irrefragible biographies they
are! I have just been

reading Ken Life of Gauguin.

I hope you have enjoyed
my "Passionate Search". I
have always been fascinated
by the Brontë story. I
love Charlotte's books too,
particularly "Villette". I cannot
say that George Eliot's novels
escape to me to the
same extent - I do like
hersing "Adam Bede", "The
Mill on the Floss" but she
is too long-winded, I think,
in "Middlemarch".

The other books I admired
for some time have been elusive! I have
not been able to get Ken
yet - the George Lewis one was
merely which, I expect, makes
it more difficult.
With so many books as
for you help. Yours sincerely
Margaret Crompton