



Mary Johnston lived at 'Hazelwood' on Wimbledon Hill. She was a famous palaeontologist, talented scientific illustrator and a notable early scientific photographer.

Johnston's contributions were particularly significant in the science of geology and in the use of photography for research. She kept scrapbooks about field trips and events. One of these, about a field trip to France, included an alphabet poem with the lines 'J is for Johnston, Jurassic and Joy; A trio superb which can never cloy'.