haue not written to hir since J came ffrom London it is but a Chance yt wee Cann get any thinge sent into your parts. My Daughter Abraham<sup>6</sup> and hir Son<sup>7</sup> has there deare Loues dearly Remembred vnto you hir husband is Now at London presoner for tythe noe more but my Loue and prayers for you from your Deare Grand Mother

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- 6 Rachel Fell (1653-1732) married Daniel Abraham in 1683.
- 7 John Abraham, 1687-1771, the only child who grew to maturity.

## GEORGE VAUX, 1832-1915

GAIN we have to record, with regret, the decease on the other side of the Atlantic of one of our stalwart supporters. George Vaux of Philadelphia and Bryn Mawr, Pennsylvania passed away suddenly, yet gently, on the 20th of April, in his eighty-third year, and the funeral took place in the private family burial ground on his Bryn Mawr estate on the 23rd. For some time before his death he had been in feeble health, and in consequence of failing sight was almost entirely dependent on his secretary for assistance in his work. Notwithstanding these limitations he maintained to the last a keen interest in affairs and in his favourite pursuits, which included historical, genealogical and antiquarian research. He was the eighth of ten who have borne the name from circa 1600 to the present time, as will be seen by reference to an article from his own pen in vol. vi. of The Journal, 1909. Probably no one in Philadelphia was better acquainted with the records of Friends there, the condition and orderly arrangement of which will be a lasting memorial of his care and oversight. He was a man of natural ability, which he devoted to business pursuits and also to educational and philanthropic activities. He was President of the Friends Historical Society 1907-8, and has frequently assisted the Editor by contributions and correspondence upon a variety of subjects. For further particulars respecting him see The Friend for 21st of May, 1915. ISAAC SHARP.