

JOHN ROBERTS (1870)

St. Mary Anne, P.E., Church of
North East, Maryland

"North East Items," *The (Elkton, Md.) Cecil Whig* 30, no. 10 (Saturday, October 15, 1870): 4.

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A Grand Organ.—A new organ for the ancient edifice of the Protestant Episcopal Church of St. Mary, in this place, has just been completed, and erected by Mr. John Roberts, of Frankford, Philadelphia city. This instrument contains one full rank of Keys, from C C to G in alt., being 4 and 8-12 octaves compass, or fifty-six notes.

All the foregoing are enclosed by a Swell, and controlled by a Swell Pedal, also by a Forte Combination Pedal, and a Piano Combination Pedal, which control all the ranges of Stops and Pipes. The tone of the organ is full, rich, and of a pleasant singing quality. The touch of the Key board is quite light, and very agreeable. Prof. Roberts, the builder, remained for the worship of last Sunday afternoon, to perform on the organ. There were a great many persons present to see and hear the instrument, on this occasion of its debut.

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CECIL COUNTY.

St. Mary Anne Parish.

Baptisms, Infant 17; Adult 2=19; (of which were privately performed 2;) Confirmed 2; Communicants, admitted 2; added by removal 1; lost by removal 2; by death and otherwise 3; present number 57; Burials 4.

Sunday School Teachers 8; Scholars 55.

Communion Alms \$25.74; All other Contributions \$76.16; Total receipts \$101.90.

Appropriated, within the Diocese \$11.50; Foreign Missions \$3 75; Total appropriations \$15.25.

The appropriations do not include assessments for Diocesan purposes.

During the past year St. Mary's Church, Northeast, has been supplied with a new pipe organ, made by Roberts, of Frankford, Philadelphia city, and presented to the Parish by a member of the Vestry.

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L. S. RUSSELL, *Rector.*