

**JOSEPH BUFFINGTON (1871);** presumably installed in August, 1871

Trinity Church, P.E.  
Chambersburg, Pennsylvania

"The New Pipe Organ," (*Chambersburg, Pa.) Public Weekly Opinion* 3, no. 7 (Tuesday, August 15, 1871): 3.

**THE NEW PIPE ORGAN.**—The new organ which has been purchased for the Episcopal Trinity Church has been placed in position in the Church, and will be one of the principle features intended to make a visit there interesting. It was bought at the factory of Mr. Joseph Buffington, 131 South 11th street, Phila. Mr. B., who has been superintending its erection, is an admirable performer on the instrument. He favored us with several selections, in order to give us an idea of its capacity and we find that its tones are strong, full and sweet, and will no doubt greatly add to the worship of the congregation. The organ is fifteen feet high, about eight feet in width, has eight stops, with pedal bass, and cost \$1,200. Mr. Wm. Diller, a celebrated performer on the organ, will be in this place on Tuesday or Wednesday, when a thorough test of its capacity and qualities will be had.

While upon this subject, we will say that the dedication of the Church will take place on the 26th of September, next, when an interesting time is expected. Bishop Stevens of the Diocese of Penn'a. will be present, and conduct the services on that occasion. The auditorium will not receive the finishing touches much before that time, when we will endeavor to lay before our readers a full description of its decorations and interesting facts connected therewith.