## Andreas Parish Church



Gt: 8,8,8,4,4, Sw: 8,8,8,8,4,8, Ped: 16,8.

The organ at Andreas church was built by Morgan and Pollard in 1898, a similar vintage (and with identical specification) to the instrument now in Maughold Parish Church. It has one of the best cases on the Island, in light oak (somewhat marred, now, by a light fitting screwed to one of its posts.) The dignified appearance of the organ owes much to the nicely-judged length of the pipe feet and restrained fretwork, contrasting with the simple panelling below. The church interior



retains many of its original oil lamps, and the organ its original candle holders.

The key action is mechanical, with pneumatic pedals, and the stop list is

modest, but the solid, dignified tone of the pipework is just what would be expected in a church of this kind; a surviving gem from the late Victorian period.

