Overview of the collection:

Creator:
Title: Hopkins, Samuel - Papers
Date:
Quantity: 3 inches
Location: C.S. Mss. 1985-2

Biography:
1721, Sept.17 Born: Waterbury, Ct.
1741 Graduated: Yale College
1743 Ordained: (Congregational), Great Barrington, MA
1743-1769 Minister: First Congregational Church, Great Barrington, MA
1770-1803 Minister: First Church, Newport, RI
1803, Dec 20 Died: Newport, RI

Scope and content:
The Samuel Hopkins Papers, 1750-1802, document the professional work of Hopkins. The collection is arranged according to the following categories: diary, memorandum book which includes a key to shorthand system used by Hopkins, letters, two unpublished essays, and two sermon notes.

In addition, there are 4 items in collection which are not manuscripts of Hopkins. Provenance of this material is not known.

Microfilm:
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Negative #131
Diary  
July 15, 1754 - November 13, 1756  
after 11/13/1756 date there are 6 pages in shorthand; at end of  
diary there are 2 pages of marriage records  

Memorandum book  
1790-1800  
in addition to dated entries regarding financial accounts, there  
is a key to shorthand system used by Hopkins  

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<th>Letters</th>
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| 1763    | June    | Samuel Buell to [SH] (on back of n.d. sermon "What is meant ..."
| 1764    | Dec 21  | SH to Joseph Bellamy              |
| 1766    | Mar 18  | SH to Joseph Bellamy              |
| 1767    | Mar 25  | SH to Joseph Bellamy              |
| 1769    | Nov 4   | SH to Mrs. Sarah Osborn           |
| 1770    | Jan 12  | SH to Stephen West                |
|         | Oct 11  | SH to Susanna Anthony             |
|         | Nov 7   | SH to my very dear and kind friend [Susanna Anthony] |
| 1771    | Jan 1   | SH to Susanna Anthony             |
|         | Mar 8   | SH to Susanna Anthony             |
|         | Apr 12  | SH to Susanna Anthony             |
|         |         | SH to my dear dear friend [Susanna Anthony] |
|         |         | SH to Susanna Anthony             |
|         | June 8  | SH to Susanna Anthony             |
|         | Nov 14  | SH to Susanna Anthony             |
| 1772    | Jan 14  | SH to Susanna Anthony             |
|         | Mar 7   | SH to Susanna Anthony             |
|         |         | SH to Susanna Anthony             |
|         | May 5   | SH to Susanna Anthony             |
|         | July 31 | SH to Susanna Anthony             |
|         | Oct 6   | SH to Susanna Anthony             |
|         | Dec 27  | SH to Susanna Anthony             |

*letter not microfilmed
1773
Feb 16 SH to Susanna Anthony
Sept 2 SH to Susanna Anthony
Nov 6 SH to Susanna Anthony

1778
Dec 28 SH to Susanna Anthony

1799
Jan 10 J. Sergeant to [SH]
Oct 4 SH to Stephen West
17 SH to John Byland (draft)

1801
Aug 26 SH to his granddaughter

Essays
A dialogue between Philenicos and Crito upon the atonement
A paraphrase with notes and practical observations upon the epistles
of Paul to the Galatians and Ephesians

Sermon notes
no date fragment: Question. What is meant when it is said (1 John 3:9)
"Whatsoever is born of God doth not commit sin?"

1757
July 17 Biblical text in shorthand

1802
Sept 12 Psalm 84:10

Publications
"[On the slave trade]." Newport Mercury (May 1, 1784)

Association items
letter fragment dated Feb 15, 1811
journal entries dated Sept 13, 1812 - Dec 5, 1813
letter of Moses Hopkins to George C. Sibley/July 7, 1834
*letter of John Ferguson which includes statement by Caleb Tenney regarding
accuracy of Ferguson's memoir of Samuel Hopkins/Dec 11, 1843

*letter not microfilmed