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of her sorority and invited boys. Violent thunderstorm and heavy rain. Sent them back in carriages. I slept badly.

June 11 (Sunday) Restful day. Another violent thunderstorm and heavy rain during night. Slept badly.

June 12 I find confirmation in my belief that Edison simply wants to use Condensite as a pretext for increased capitalization of his phonograph Co. Indeed he changes National Phonograph Co's name to Thomas A. Edison incorp. successors to Nat. Phon. Co. and raises capital stock from \$500,000 to \$2000,000

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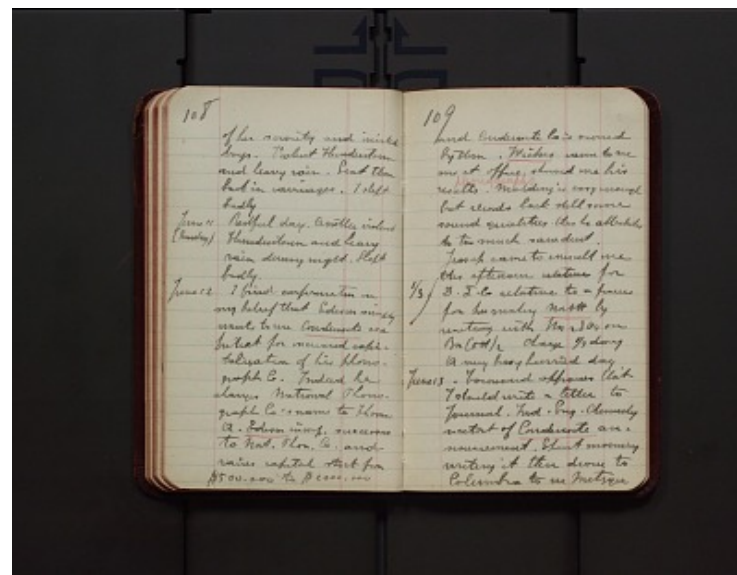
and Condensite Co is owned by them. Wickes came to see me at office showed me his results. [^][[phonographs [in red pencil]]] Molding is easy enough but records lack still some sound qualities. this he attributes to too much sawdust.

Jessup came to consult me this afternoon ~~relative~~ for $\frac{1}{3}$ D. F. Co. relative to a process for ~~making~~ NaOH by reacting with Na_2SO_4 on BaCOOH_2 charge $\frac{1}{3}$ day

A very busy hurried day

June 13. Townsend approves that I should write a letter to Journal. Ind. Eng. Chemistry ^[on retort?] of Condensite announcement. Spent morning writing it then drove to Columbia to see Metzger

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