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64. Mercury turns around on its axis in 24 hours, 5 minutes, 30 seconds, or 86,730 seconds. This is $7 \times 7 \times 1770$, a multiple of seven sevens. Jupiter turns thus, according to Airy, in 9 hours, 55 minutes, and 21 seconds, or in 35,721 seconds. This is $7 \times 7 \times 9 \times 9 \times 9$, again a multiple of seven sevens, and in combination with the cube of a square. The moon of Neptune turns on its axis in 5 days, 21 hours, 3 minutes, or 8,463 minutes. This is $7 \times 13 \times 31 \times 3$. The sidereal year of the earth is 365 days, 6 hours, 9 minutes, 9 seconds, or 31,558,149 seconds, or $7 \times 9 \times 5,000,923$. The sidereal periods of the four moons of Uranus, if added together, give 2,491,272 seconds, or $7 \times 8 \times 9 \times 4,943$, of which the first three moons have 1,328,040, or $7 \times 8 \times 9 \times 17 \times 31 \times 5$; and the fourth has 1,163,232, or $7 \times 8 \times 9 \times 4 \times 577$. Each of these three numbers is a multiple not only of seven, but also of 8×9 .

Now the earth turns on its axis in 23 hours, 56 minutes, and 4 seconds, or 86,164 seconds; again only one over $7 \times 11 \times 3 \times 373$, a multiple of both seven and eleven. Mars turns on its axis according to Proctor in 24 hours, 37 minutes, and 22 seconds, or 88,642 seconds, also within only one of $7 \times 7 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3 \times 67$, a multiple of the square of seven combined with a cube. And once more, the four moons of Jupiter have for the periods of their sidereal revolutions together 2,519,742 seconds. This number again