Conclusion.

The Poets have feigned Mercury to be the chief Patron of Thieves and Treachery,

'Αρχὸς φαλαινών.

To which purpose they relate that he filched from Venus her Girdle, as she embraced him in congratulation of a Victory; that he robbed Jupiter of his Scepter, and would have stolen his Thunderbolt too, but that he feared to burn his fingers. And the Astrologers observe, that those who are born under this Planet, are naturally addicted to Theft and Cheating.

If it be feared that this Discourse may unhappily advantage others, in such unlawful courses; 'tis considerable, that it does not only teach how to deceive, but consequentially also how to discover Delusions. And then besides, the chief experiments are of such nature,