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Thus the second smallest lattice is given by the maximal order with  $D = -4$  (the square lattice) and the third and fourth smallest lattices by  $D = -7$  and  $D = -15$  respectively.

REMARK 3. The inequality (5.5) is quite subtle. Let  $N_k = 2 \cdot 3 \cdots p_k$  be the product of the first  $k$  primes, then if the Riemann Hypothesis is true (5.5) is false for every integer  $n$  with  $n = N_k$ . On the other hand, if the Riemann Hypothesis is false then there are infinitely many integers  $k$  for which  $n = N_k$  does satisfy (5.5). See Nicolas [23] for a proof of this interesting result.

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