



Breadth of the Streets.

THE grand Avenues, and such Streets as lead immediately to public places, are from 130 to 160 feet wide, and may be conveniently divided into foot ways, walks, of trees, and a carriage way. The other Streets are from 90 to 110 feet wide.

IN order to execute this plan, MR. ELLICOTT drew a true Meridional line by celestial Observation, which passes through the Area intended for the Capitol; this line he crossed by another due East and West, which passes through the same Area. These lines were accurately measured, and made the bases on which the whole plan was executed. He ran all the lines by a Transit Instrument, and determined the Acute Angles by actual Measurement, and left nothing to the uncertainty of the Compass.