



*The Tower Bridge.*

Length of Bridge with its approaches	2680 feet.
"    Northern approach	1000 "
"    Southern approach	800 "
Width between N. and S. abutments.	880 "
"    of central span .	200 "
"    of side spans, each	270 "

Depth of River at high water under central span,	33½ feet.
"    "    lowest tides	12 "
Clear headway at high water when the leaves are down (varies from one part of the bridge to another)	20 to 29½ feet.
Clear headway in centre span at high water with the leaves raised	143 feet.