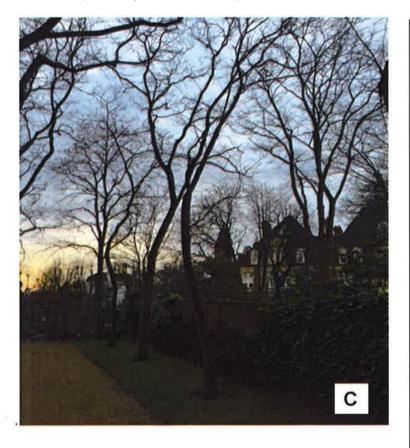


Structural engineer Richard Tant has examined the avenue trees (A, B) and confirmed that those seen on the right are causing damage to our neighbours' historical wall (see report attached).



Many of the trees, planted in the 1980s, have grown into gaunt, unsightly unstable, specimens needing annual pruning, mainly for safety reasons. Most have reached the end of their life span and will need removing at some stage soon (C).

We think it would look out of keeping to remove part of the avenue and/or interplant, and would be difficult to do. These, and other issues, have prompted our decision to remove the whole avenue and start again.