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The application to remove the Tree of Heaven and subsidiary planting is accompanied by photographic evidence of the planting but none of the damage that is purported to have resulted from them. An important feature of the Elsworthy CA is the green front gardens and the street trees. No. 22 at the corner of Elsworthy Rise removed substantial trees and planting without permission during the house refurbishment. It has now been replaced by minimal planting, of little significance to the street scene. The photos of no. 30 demonstrate how the hard standing for car parking, the concrete path to the front steps and the paved side passage have all meant that there is very little permeable area left for the tree. In addition they show that there has been considerable neglect since the tree was last pollarded and the bushes are all overgrown. The evidence for the cracks seems to date from a period of drought. Since then London has experienced some of the wettest months on record and the problem may no longer be solved by the tree's removal.

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