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HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Cole of Portland.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FORTY-SEVEN

AN ACT Relating to Sidewalk Construction in the City of Portland.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

P. & S. L., 1870, c. 348, § 2, amended. Section 2 of chapter 348 of the private and special laws of 1870, as amended by section 1 of chapter 647 of the private and special laws of 1871, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

‘Sec. 2. City may construct sidewalks or footways, and ½ of the costs to be assessed on adjacent lots. The city of Portland may at their option, without notice and under such regulations or orders as they may have established or passed, or may hereafter establish or pass, construct, **grade and repair** sidewalks or footways, laid with brick, flat stones, concrete or other materials, with **or without** suitable curbs, on any street or portion thereof, and direct ½ of the cost thereof to be assessed on adjacent lots, and for that purpose may direct the curb to be set at any time previous **or subsequent** to the construction of the walk, and cause the cost of the curb and the cost of the paving of the walk to be assessed separately, as each is or may be done; provided, that no owner or proprietor shall be assessed for more than 200 feet in length of sidewalk or footway, on any one street in front of any unimproved lots or parcels of land.’