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Input/output extracodes

In answer to your memo of 5th May:

(1) Digits 0 and 1 of B are ignored in extracodes  
1056, 1057, 1066, 1067.

(2) As written at the moment, there is no way in which  
the programmer could tell which character within a  
half word is due to be read by the next 1054 extracode.  
If this information is needed, the simplest way would  
probably be to have another extracode to find the  
next character address.

Proposed is a revised version of the carriage control  
code. It provides for feeding up to 15 lines, and there is also  
a character which causes the 'row paper' bit to be examined. I  
am not certain what should happen if the programmer does not use  
it to mark suitable stopping places. It would be exceedingly  
difficult to go back any fixed number of characters before resuming  
the output after the paper had run out.

It would seem to be best if the second output tape continued  
exactly from where the first tape ended, but this is also a question  
for the Output Master Routine, and perhaps you already have views  
about this.