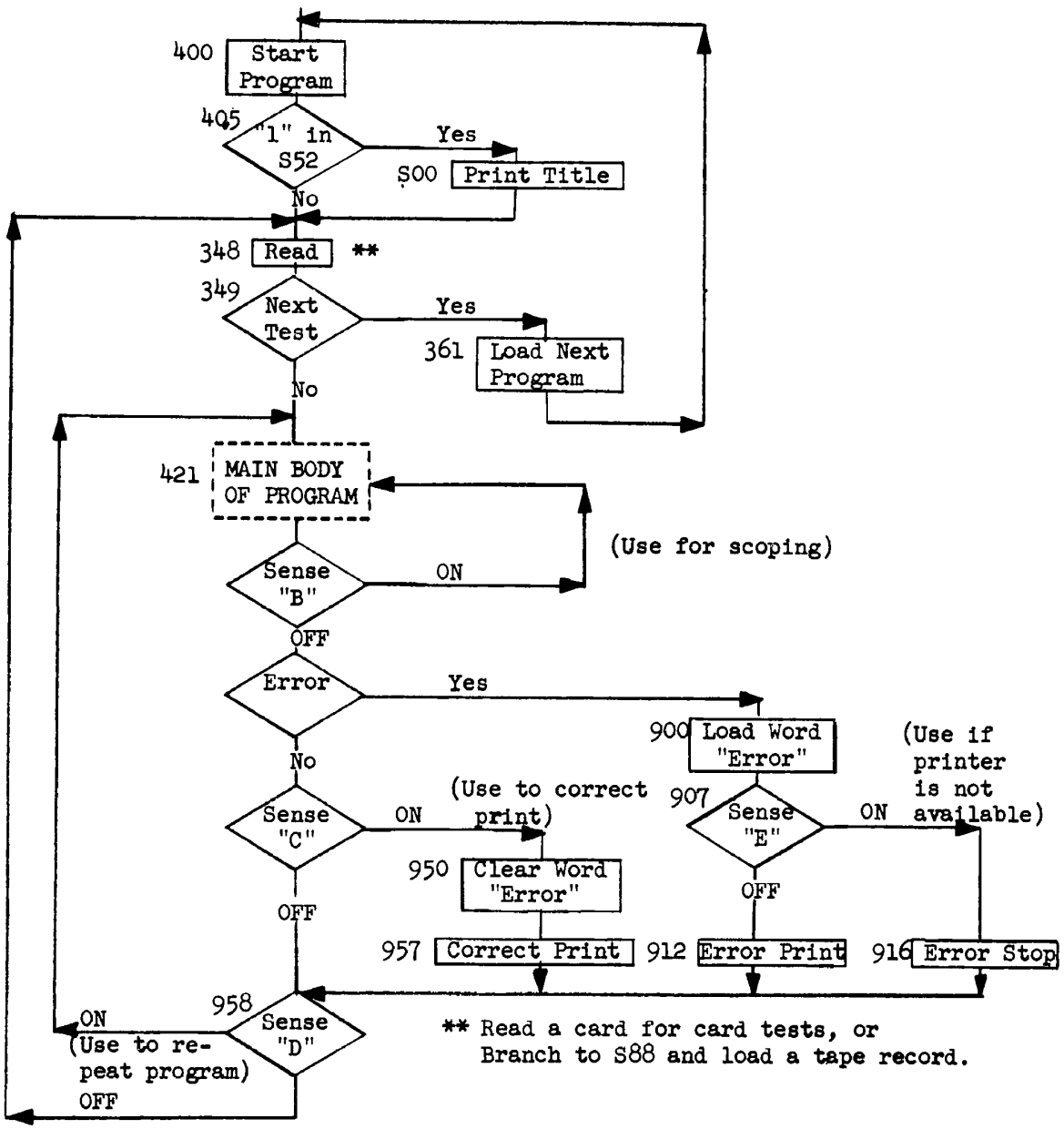
GENERAL FLOW CHART

The purpose of a flow chart is to display in a general way the sequential steps that are necessary to execute a program of instructions for a given test. Although the flow charts provided with each test differ in the main body of the program, the preliminary steps preceding the main body and those that follow are essentially alike.

The General Flow Chart depicted here is designed to show those steps that are common to a majority of the flow charts, particularly those that employ the Title and Headings Print Routine and the Program Chaining Routine. A study of this chart, therefore, will give you a good idea of how these tests are generally constructed. Notice that after the main body of the program, steps include reference to Sense Switches B, C, D, and E. If Sense Switches are not on the machine, disregard sequence flows indicated by the ON side of the switches.