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The six are James Dicke'sy of High and Township, Wallace Gaber of Royal Cuk. Henry Boot of Troy, Joseph Montante of Orchard Lake, William Patterson of Clawson and Richard Willows of Brandon Township.

Classion and Richard Wilcox of Branden Township Six other Republicans are likely to stand with Murphy and continue to oppose the merger. They are Paul Kasper of Boomfield Rich. Lellian Moffett of Bioomfield Township. Fred Houghten of Robester Patrick Nowak of Farmington Bills and Rich. They will be joined by Derms Murph. They will be joined by Derms Murph. Republican from Novi who was elected to fill a wacancy late last mosth.

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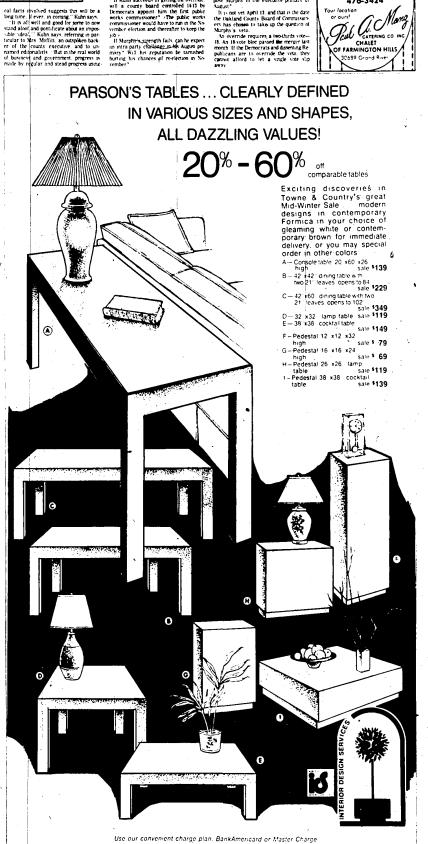
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Permick is chairman of the Oakland
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