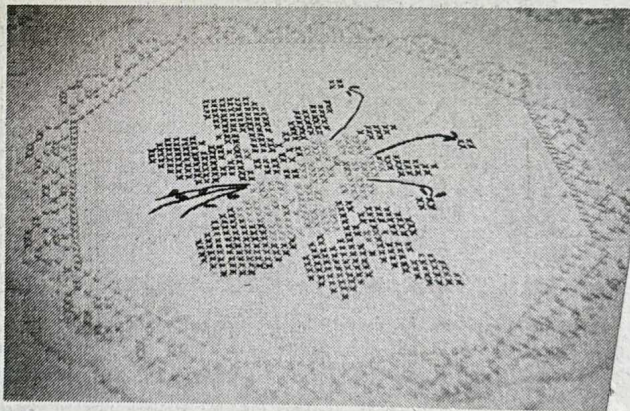




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Maggie Stewart, left, Lenora Folsom and Joanna Gehrke were among several Ripon Woman's Club members who worked this week to finish a queen-sized quilt in a cross-stitched violet motif. A drawing for the quilt, with 30 individual squares embroidered and signed by club members, will be a

highlight of the club's annual March auction at Grace Lutheran Church. Chances for the quilt will be on sale in February at the three local financial institutions, Ann Marie's fabric shop and Elaine's. Money raised from the project will be used for scholarships for local students.