

Documentation Form

Overview

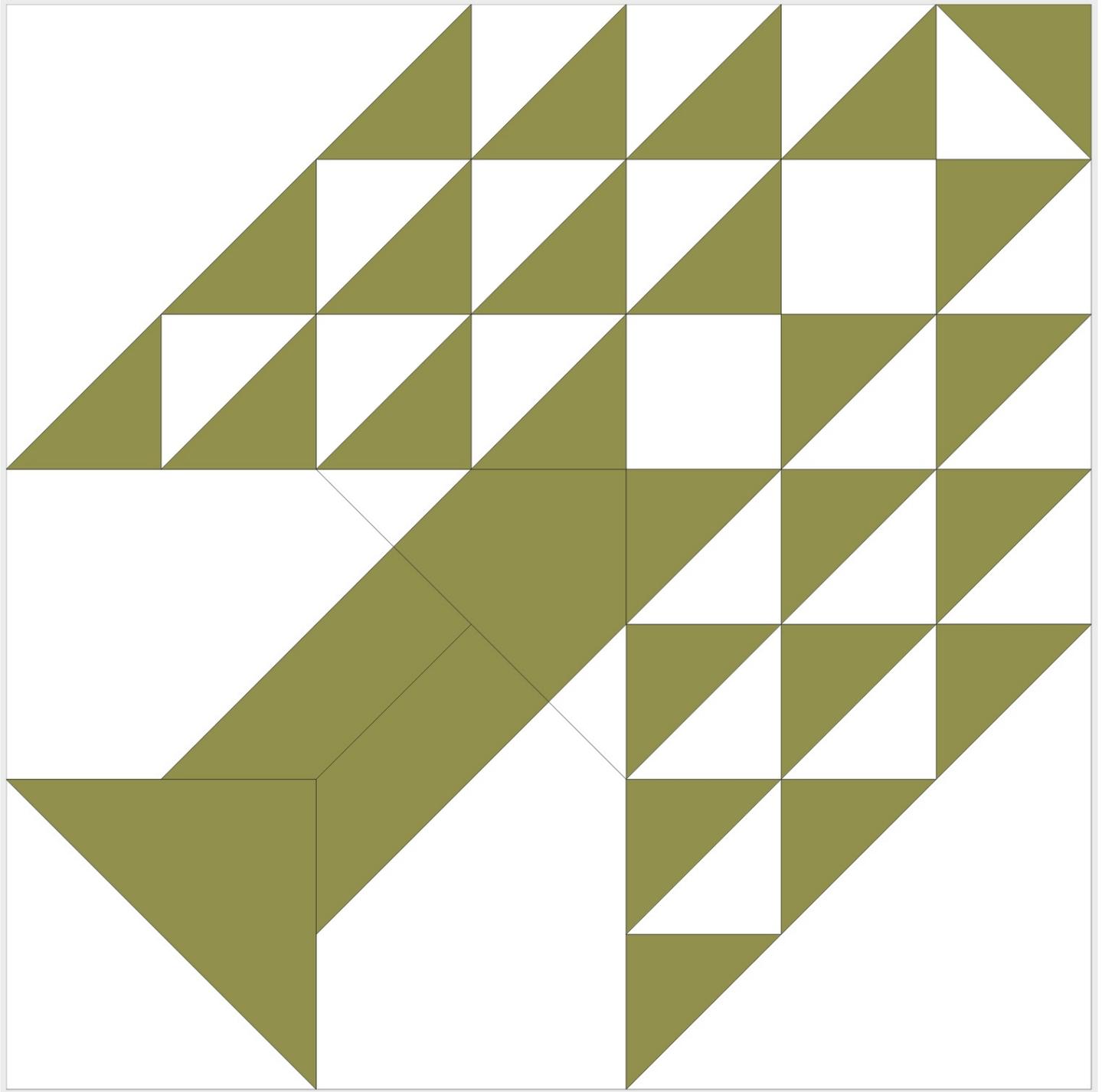
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Brackman ID: 811.5

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Category: 05 Realistic

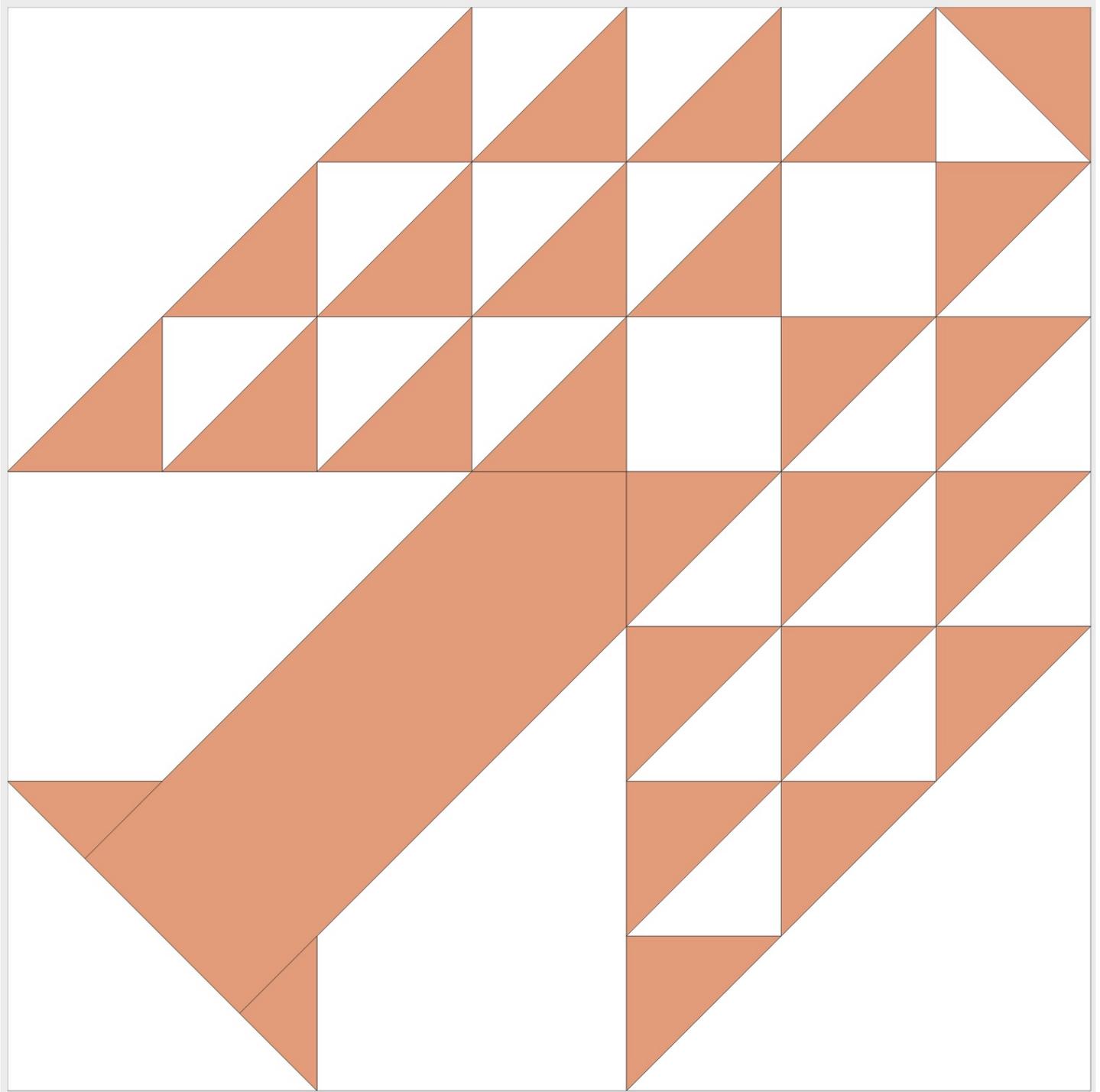
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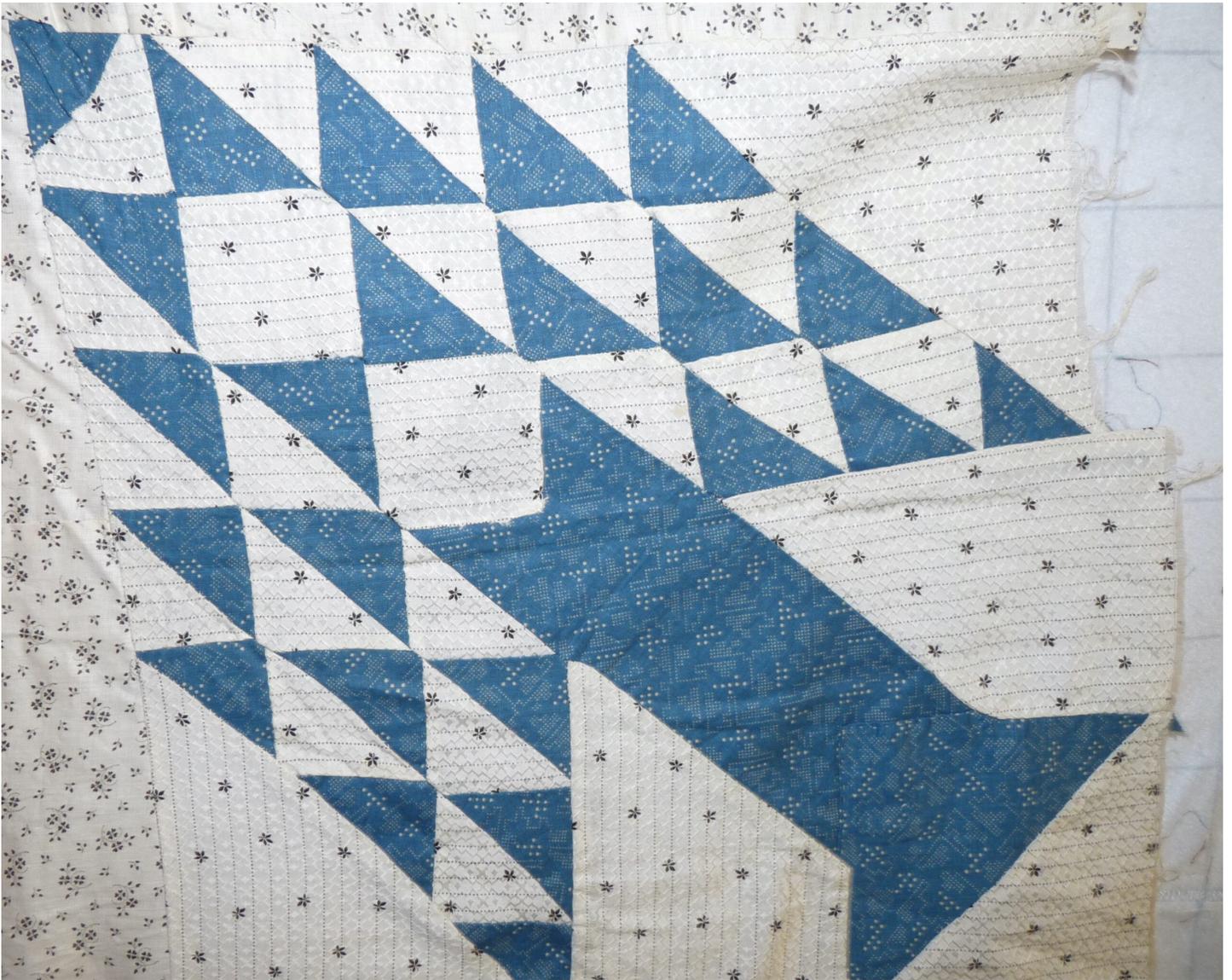






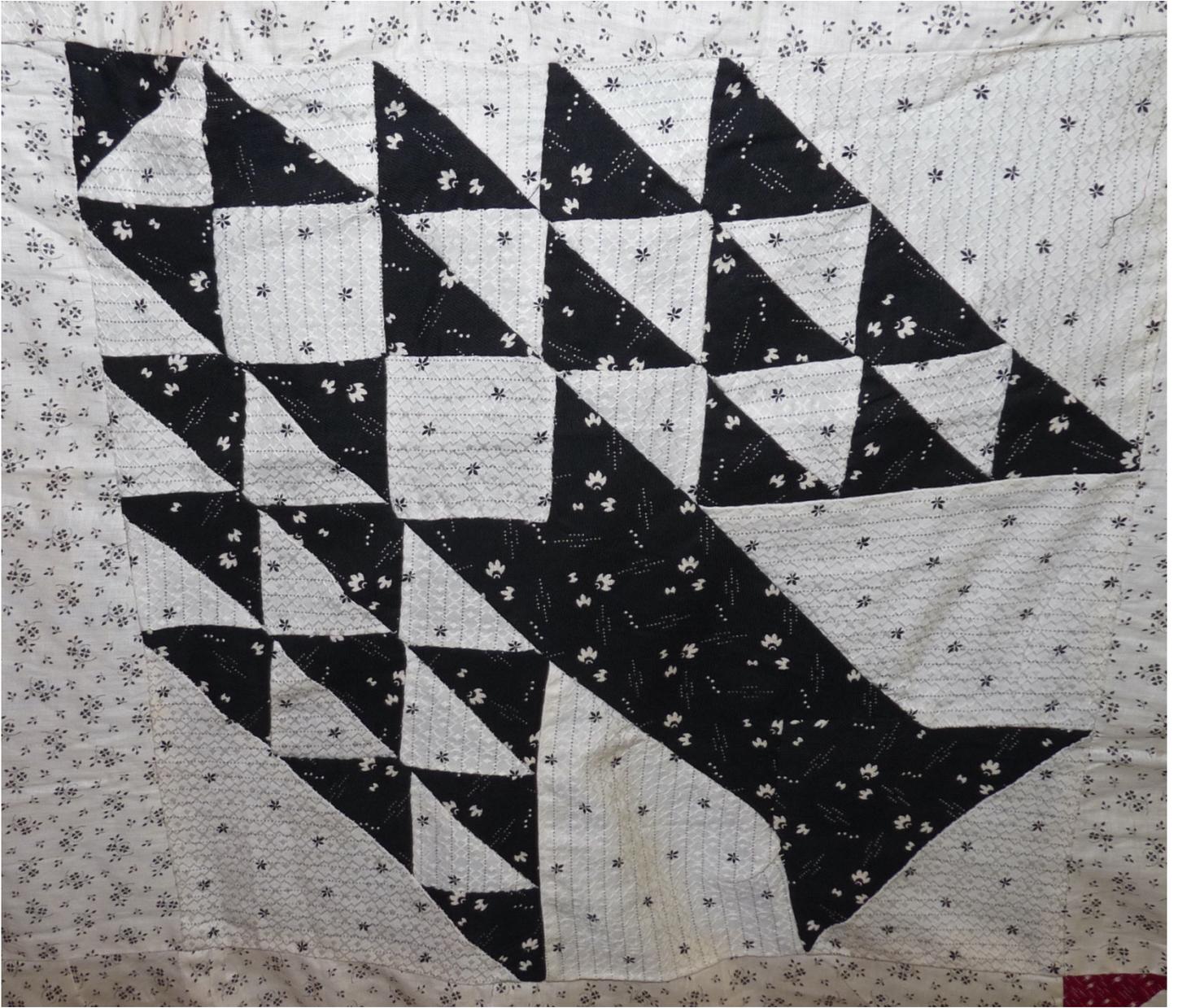


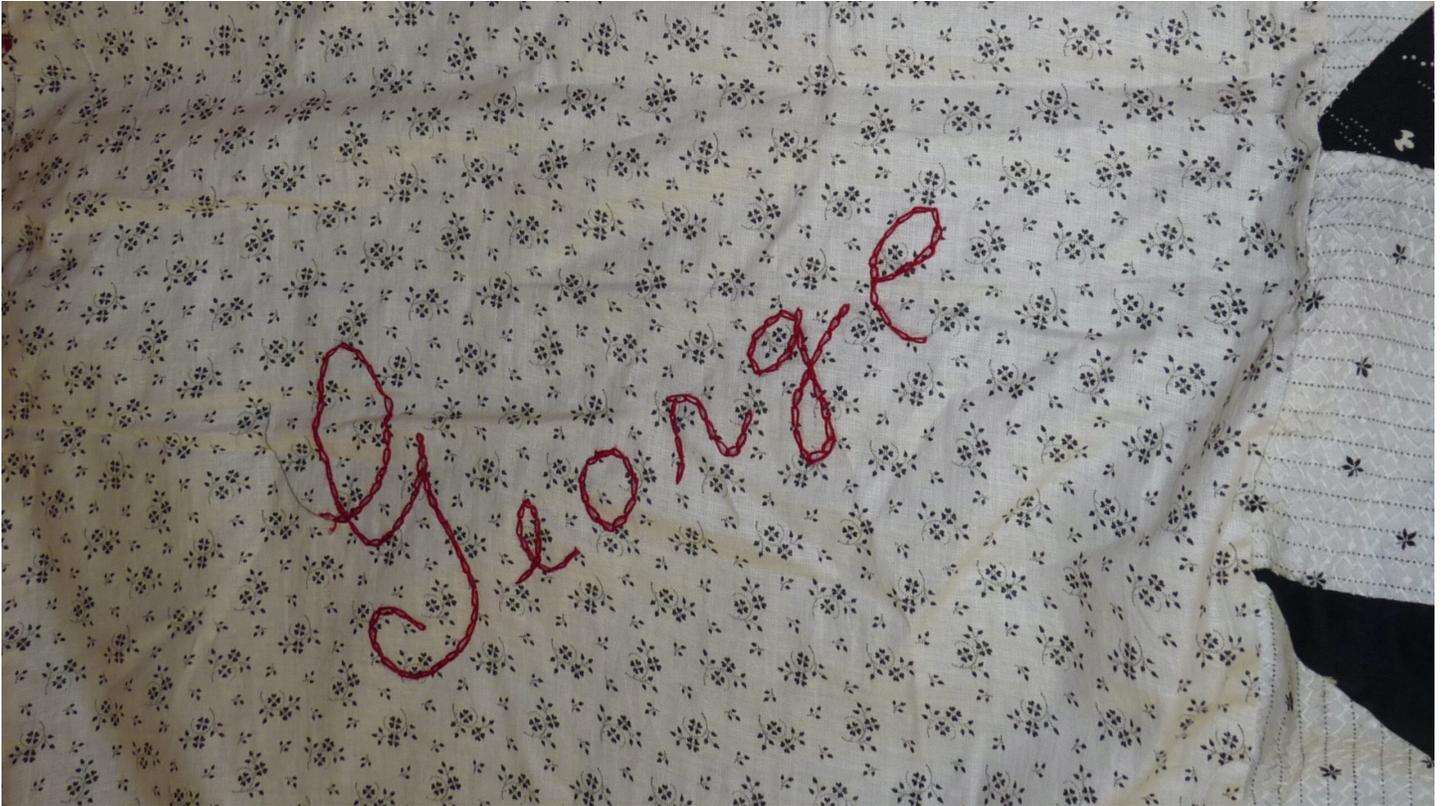






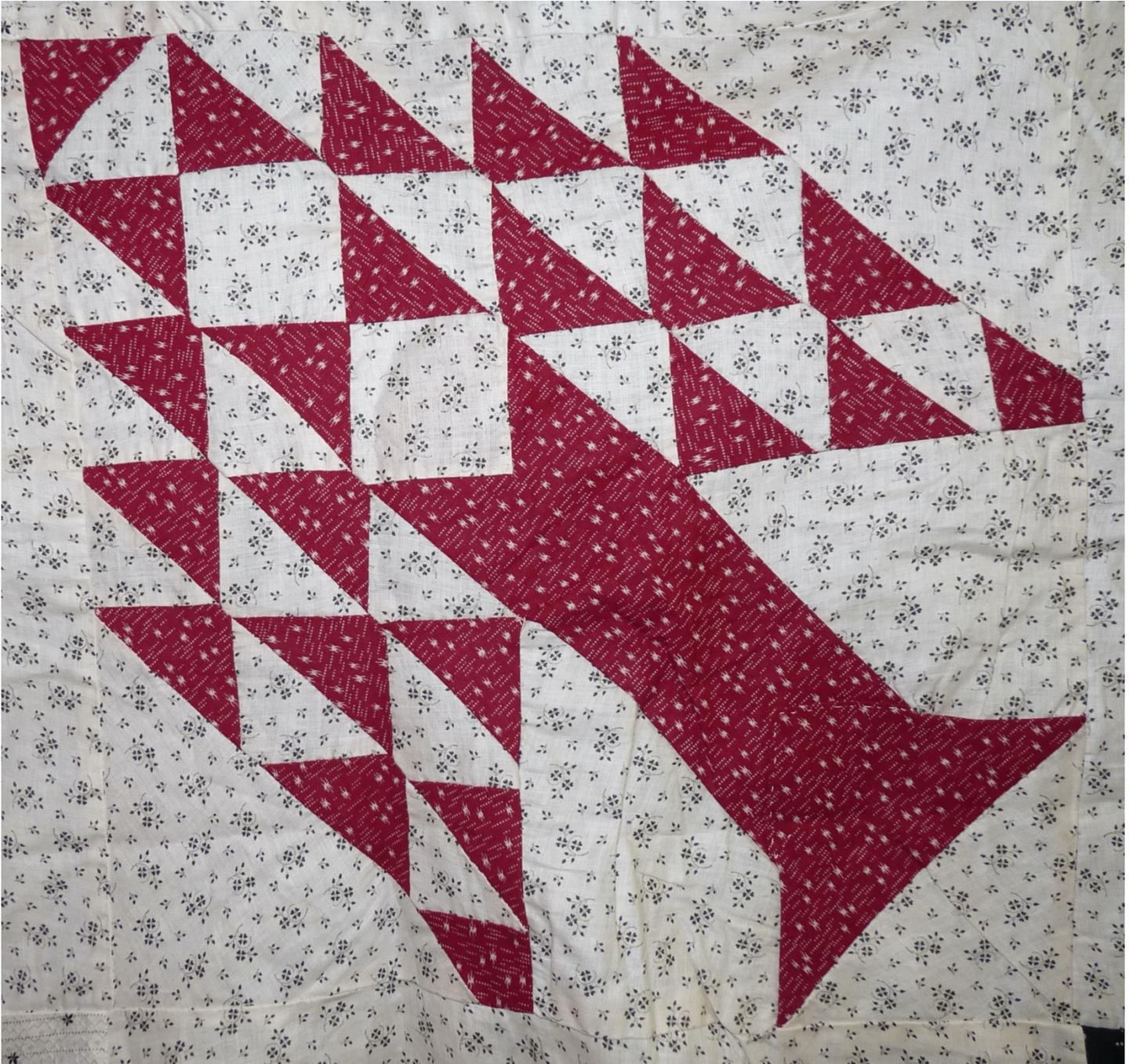




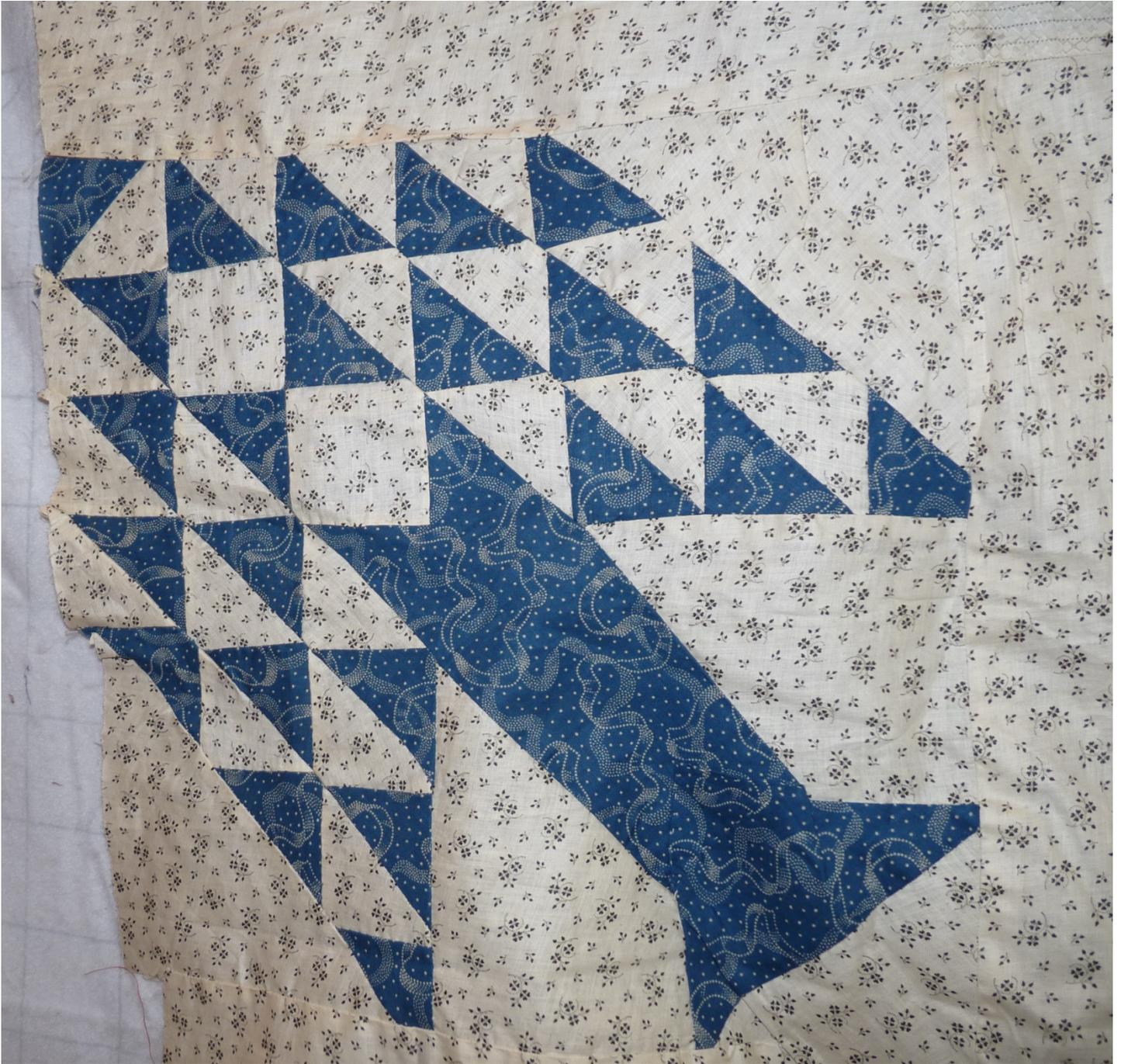








































Owner History

Owner	From Date	To Date	Acquired at:	Cost
David Bailey	--	--	--	\$0
			Made in: --	
If not purchased, the estimated cost for materials: \$0				

Display & Publication History

Date	Event	Location / Publication
--	--	--

General Description

Quilt Title or Name:

--

Fabric Date Range: 1885 ± 10 Years

Date Made: -- ± 0 Years

Method of Determination: Most recent fabric

Size: Length: 84" x Width: 72"

Item Type:

Quilt Top / Flimsy

Items in Set: 1

Appraisals:

Has this quilt been professionally appraised? No

If so, when: --

Other related files:

Scanned Patterns

Images

EQ 8 Files

Research Notes

Additional Information: --

History

Provenance

Describe: --

Quilt Maker

Maker: --

Location: --

Birth: --

Contributions: --

Death: --

Purpose and Context

Expression

Art

Personal Enjoyment

Therapy

Income

Personal Income

Fundraising

Presentation

Anniversary

Wedding

Birth

Holiday

Birthday

Other gift

Charitable support

Relationships

Friendship

Commemorative

Memorial

Mourning

Reunion

Skill Building

Challenge / Contest

Learning / Teaching Sample

Use

Bed Quilt

Lap Quilt

Home Décor

Baby / Crib

Wall Hanging

Describe other purpose: --

Construction History

--

Coverlet Design & Construction

Coverlet Top

Warp strand count per inch: 0.

Warp fiber: Choose one

Weft strand count per inch: 0"

Weft fiber: Choose one

Design: --

Weaver: --

Location: --

Woven for: --

Additional Information: --

Quilt Top Design & Construction

Quilt Top

Layout Design: Choose a layout design.

Delete this & the following table rows as appropriate.

One Patch Shape Details

Choose shape

Techniques

- Machine pieced
- Hand pieced
- Strip piecing

Describe: --

Workmanship

- Seams are stable
- Seams are flat

Describe piecing workmanship

Describe: --

- String / Improvisational piecing
- Foundation piecing
- English paper piecing

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- Points are sharp

Medallion Details

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Blocks / Grid

Choose setting

Choose drop

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Pattern name & Brackman or other ID

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Applique - Reverse | <input type="checkbox"/> Rhinestones / Gems | <input type="checkbox"/> Marking lines noted |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Applique - Other | Other: -- | |

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- Work demonstrates appropriate skill for intended purpose.

[Describe other techniques](#)

Sashing

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Choose sashing style

Width: 0.00 "

- Use of corner stones

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Describe: --

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Color

Choose # of colors

Choose a temperature

Choose a palette

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Stabilization Method

Stabilization Method: [Choose a method](#)

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Tied Details

Average Distance Between Knots: 0" Placement: [Choose tail placement](#)

Fiber Used: Choose one

Quilting Details

Batting

[Describe batting loft](#)

[Choose batting type](#)

[Click to choose](#)

Quilting Techniques

Choose a quilting style

- Machine Quilted
- Machine – computer guided
- Machine – manual long-arm

[Choose quilting density](#)

- Machine – sit-down
- Hand Quilted
- Quilt-as-you-go

- Corded
- Stuffed work

[Choose workmanship description](#)

Describe: --

Quilting Patterns

- Meander / Free motion
- In-the-ditch / To the piece
- Echo / Outlined
- Stipple
- Clamshell
- Elbow / Fan

- Lines – single parallel
- Lines – double parallel
- Lines – triple parallel
- Grid – crosshatch
- Grid – square
- Grid - diamond

- Cables
- Feathers
- Wreaths
- Vines
- Floral
- Leaves

Describe other: --

Thread Choices

Brand

--

Weight

--

Number & Name

--

Describe: --

Images for Stabilization

Edge Finish

Edge Style: Choose an edge treatment

Finishing Technique

Top Width: 0.00 "

Back Width: 0.00"

$1/8 = 0.13$, $3/8 = 0.38$

$5/8 = 0.63$, $7/8 = 0.88$

Application Method:

Embellishments

Fringe

Lace

Describe: --

Binding

Knife edge

Turned with a closure

Top: Choose one

Ruffles

Ribbon

Rolled – top to back

Rolled – back to top

Back: Choose one

Cording

Images for Edge

Condition

Choose a condition rating.

Choose a washed condition

Flaws

Soiling

- Dirty
- Mildew stains

- Stains
- Musty Smell

Discoloration

- Running / fugitive color

- Faded / bleached color

- Crocking

Fabric Damage

- Tears / holes
- Thread bare

- Disintegrating / fall out
- Shattering

- Insect damage

Sewing / Quilting Damage

- Split / open seams
- Quilting threads missing

- Ties / tufting missing
- Batting has shifted

- Embellishments missing

Storage Issues

- Discoloration from wood

- Damage from acid

- Fold marks / creases

Describe additional condition issues: --

Images for Condition Issues

Conservation, Restoration, Repairs

Describe Measures: --

Workmanship

Extension of Useful Life

Repair Useful life of the item was extended.

Prevention of Damage

Conservation All work is reversible.

Conservation Further deterioration has been slowed, stabilized or prevented.

Maintaining Function & Integrity

Conservation Work minimally interferes with the item’s overall appearance.

Restoration Work blends well with the item’s overall appearance, style and age.

Restoration Appropriate period reproductions were used.

Restoration Vintage materials were used.

Restoration Period appropriate techniques were used.

Restoration Workmanship is of similar or better quality than original work.

Images for Conservation / Restoration / Repairs

History & Provenance

- Work Credit
 - Piecing: unknown
 - Top Assembly: unknown
- Date Made: circa 1890
- Ownership History:
 - David Bailey: From August 19, 2022
 - Vendor: To August 19, 2022
 - Documented by David Bailey

Overall

Size

- Length: 82.5"
- Width: 68.5"

Condition

- Very Good

Top

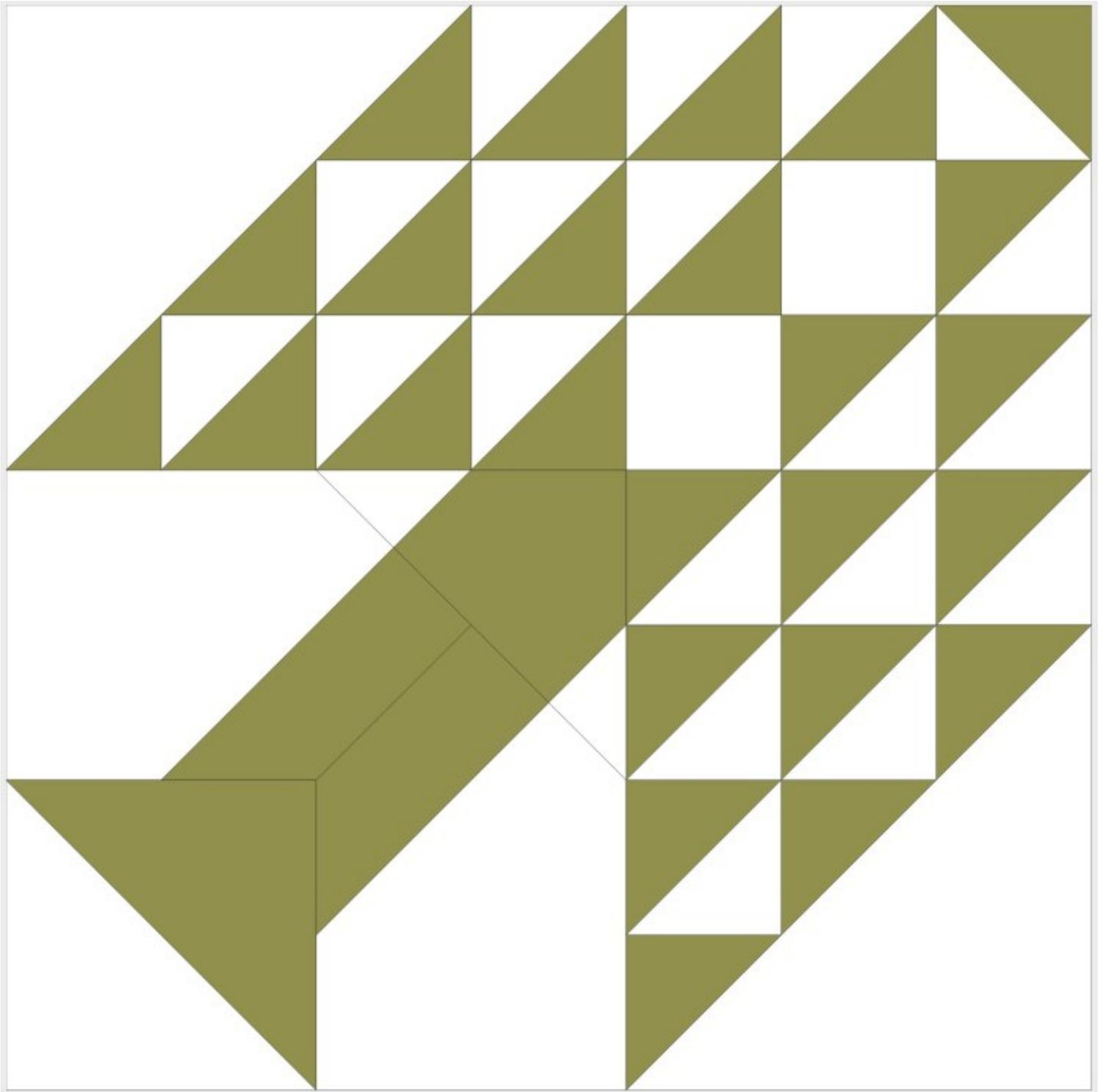
Fabric Description

- Cotton
- Prints
- Yardage
- Predominant Colors: White, Burgundy, Black, Blue

General Organization

- Grid
 - 5 x 6 grid with every other block piece to form a checkerboard. There are a total of 15 pieced blocks and 15 blocks of unpieced yardage.
 - Unit Description
 - Unit Name: Tree of Paradise (BB ID: 811) or Temperance Tree (BB ID: 811.5).
 - The Tree of Temperance Pattern was published in 1894.

- While the foreground and background patterns of this quilt top's blocks the the Tree of Paradise and Temperance Tree, this quilt's blocks are not an exact match to the piecing pattern. The variations are found in the tree trunks. This quilt's trunks are solid, not split along their length. In this quilt, the root flair at the bottom of the trunk is a single piece of fabric that is pieced to the background and applied to the narrow portion of the trunk.
 - Width:—"
 - Length:—"
 - Straight setting
- Techniques: Patchwork / Applique / Embroidery
 - Embroidery of name with chain stitch.
- Stitching Method: Mostly by Hand, some machine applique/top stitching
- Workmanship of Piecing: Good
- Workmanship of Setting: Very Good
- Other Descriptions
 - The quilt blocks were mostly stitched by hand. The hand-stitching was not terribly skilled. The stitch length is uneven and there is a great deal of extra or stretched fabric across the field of the quilt top.
 - Many points were lost. This seems to run against what I would expect from someone who aspired to this block. Lost points are a beginner's issue when piecing by hand. This is not a beginner's block.
 - The assembled tree blocks were sewn into the top with a machine. The background fabric of the tree blocks varies. In some cases the background fabric matches the fabric used in the setting squares. In any case, the trees are hand pieced and the assembled blocks sewn to the top by machine.
 - The fabrics are mourning prints. This may have been used as a coffin cover. George's coffin?



811.5 Temperance
Tree

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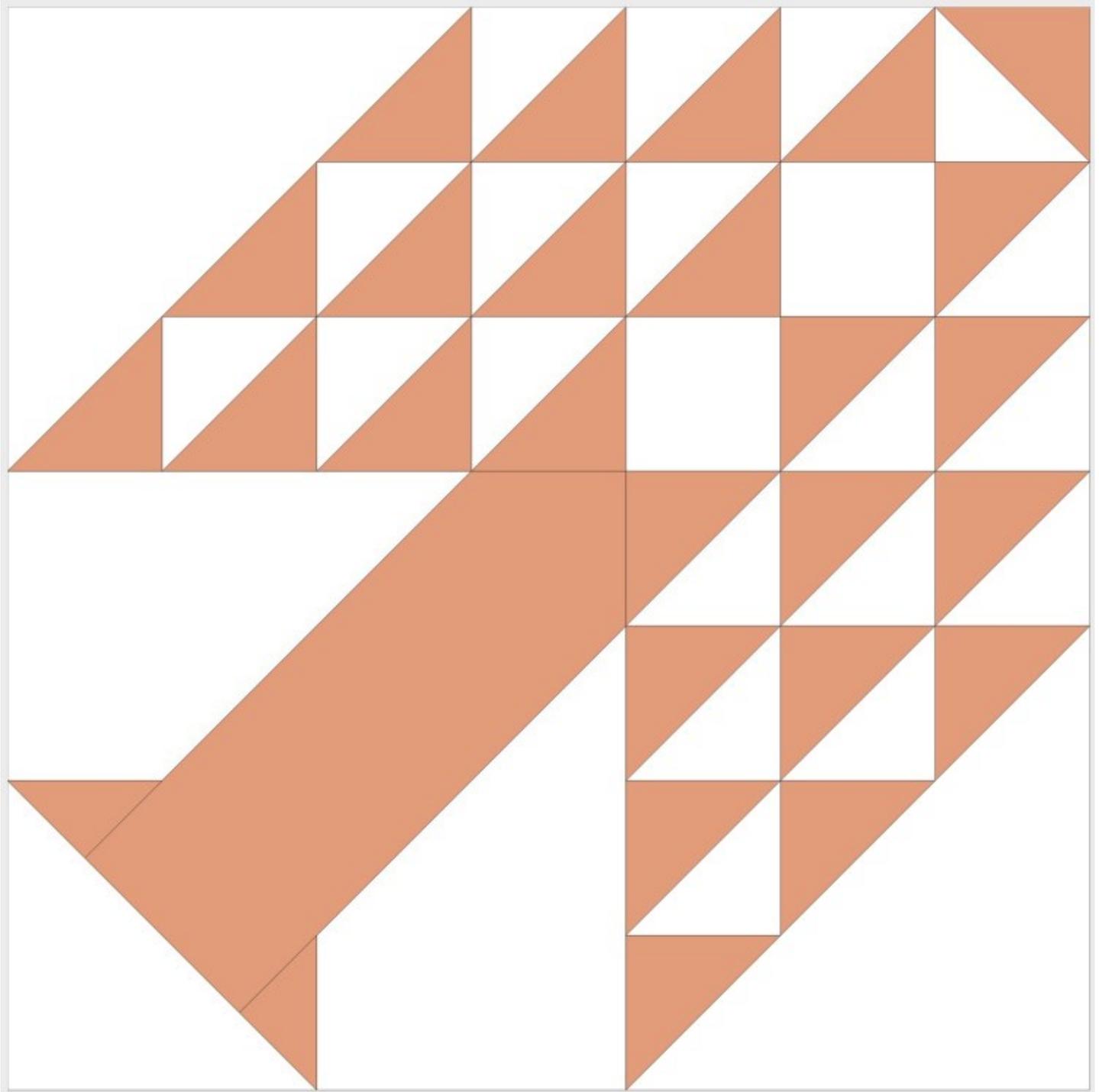
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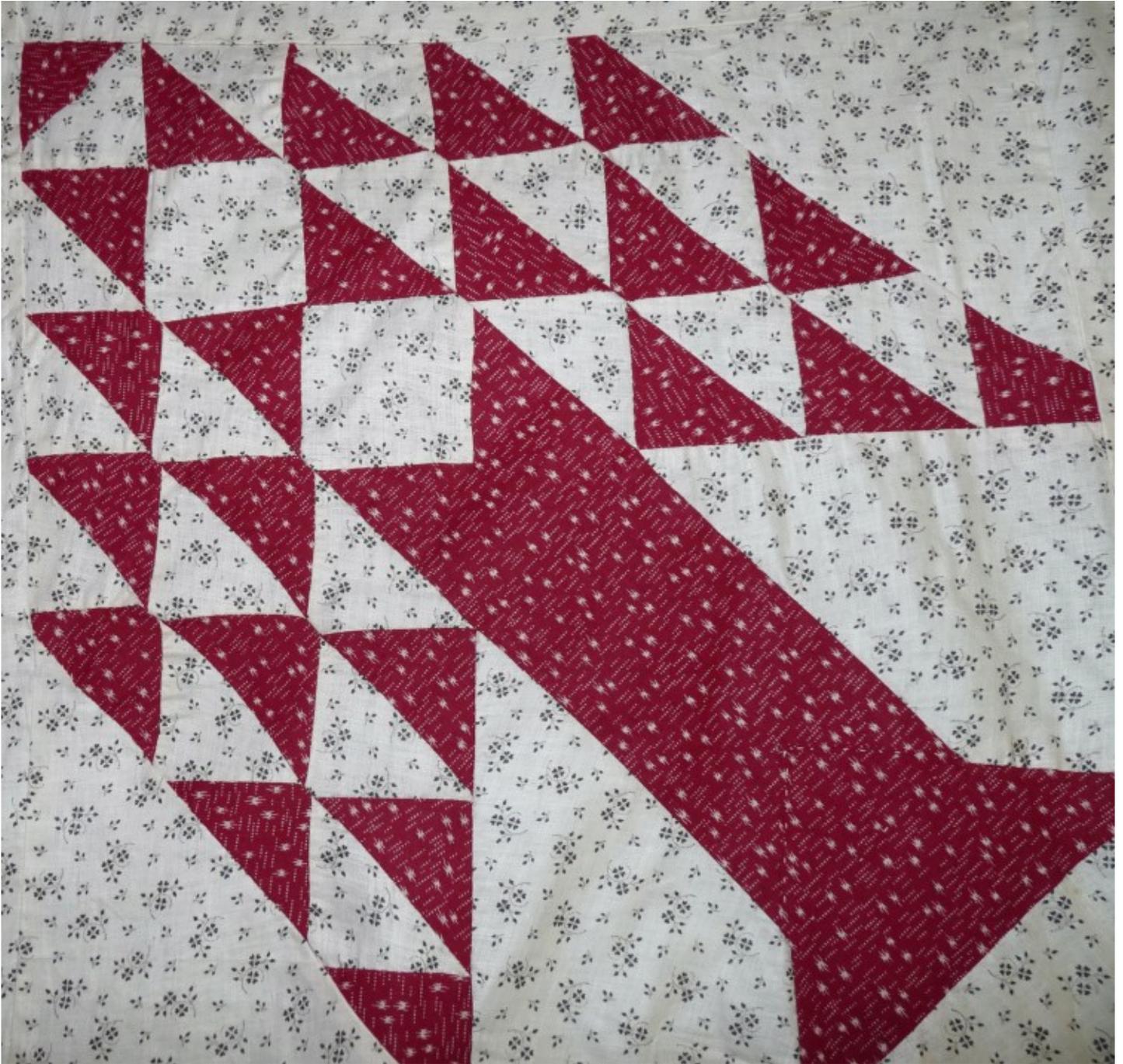


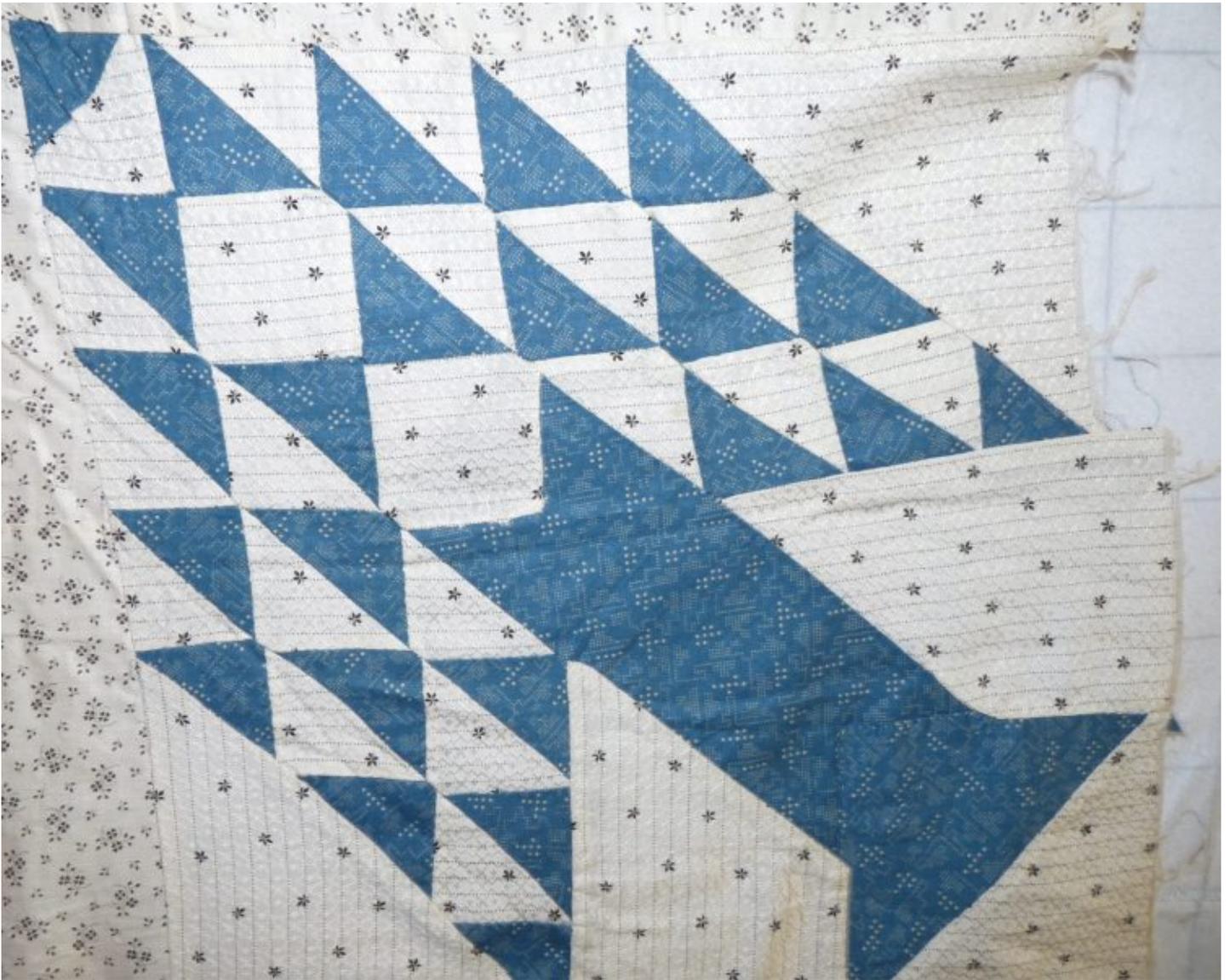


Neon
Print









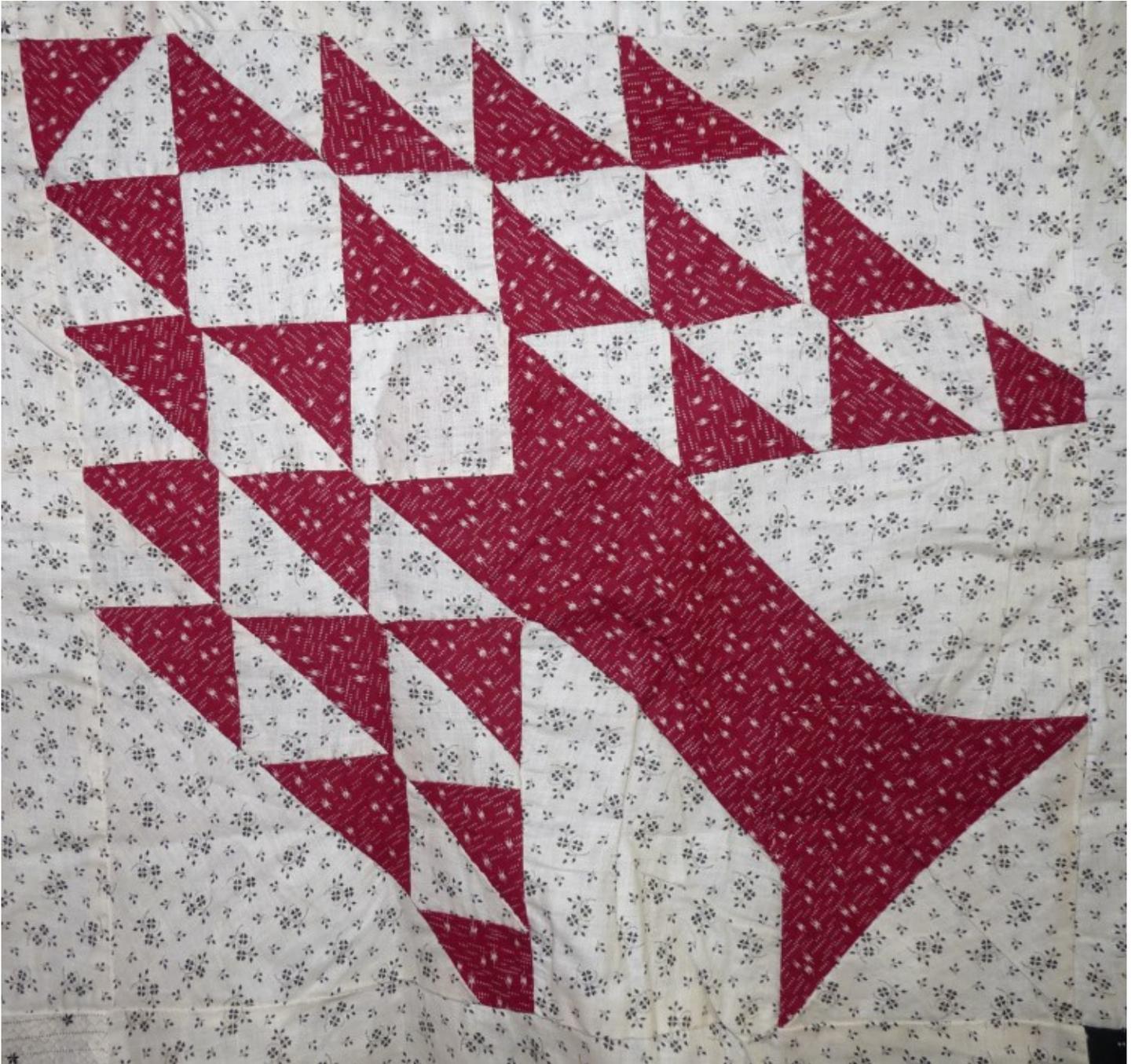




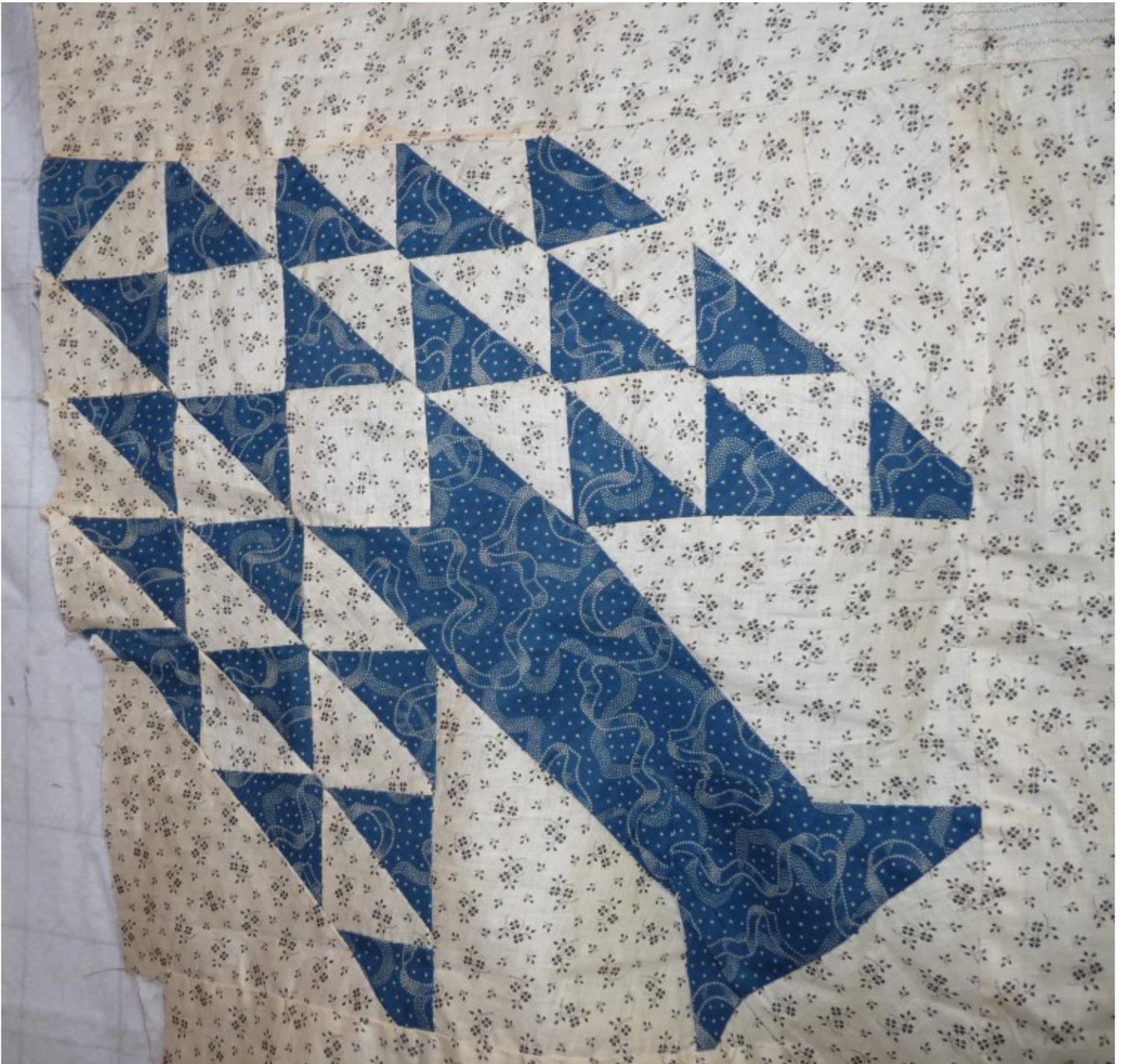


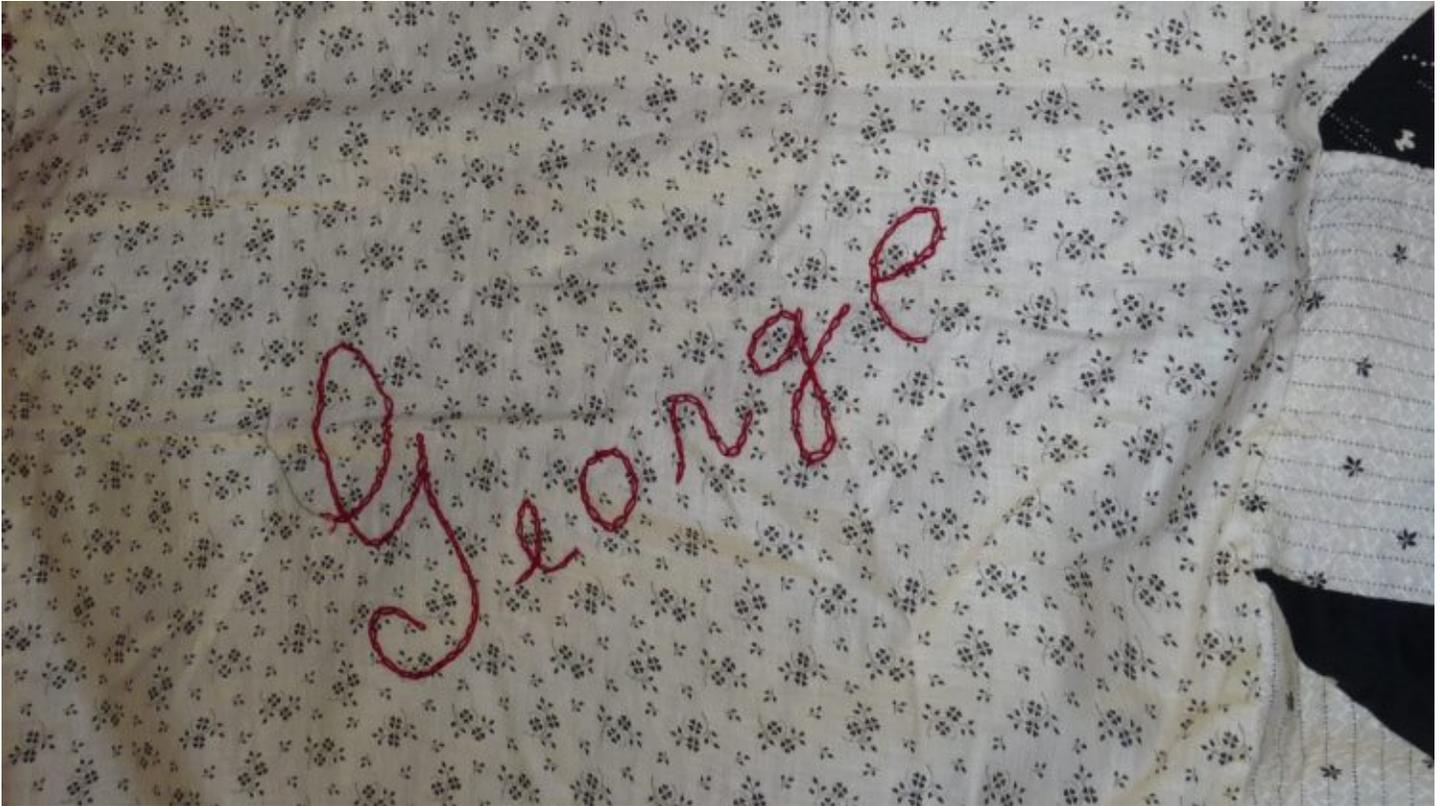
























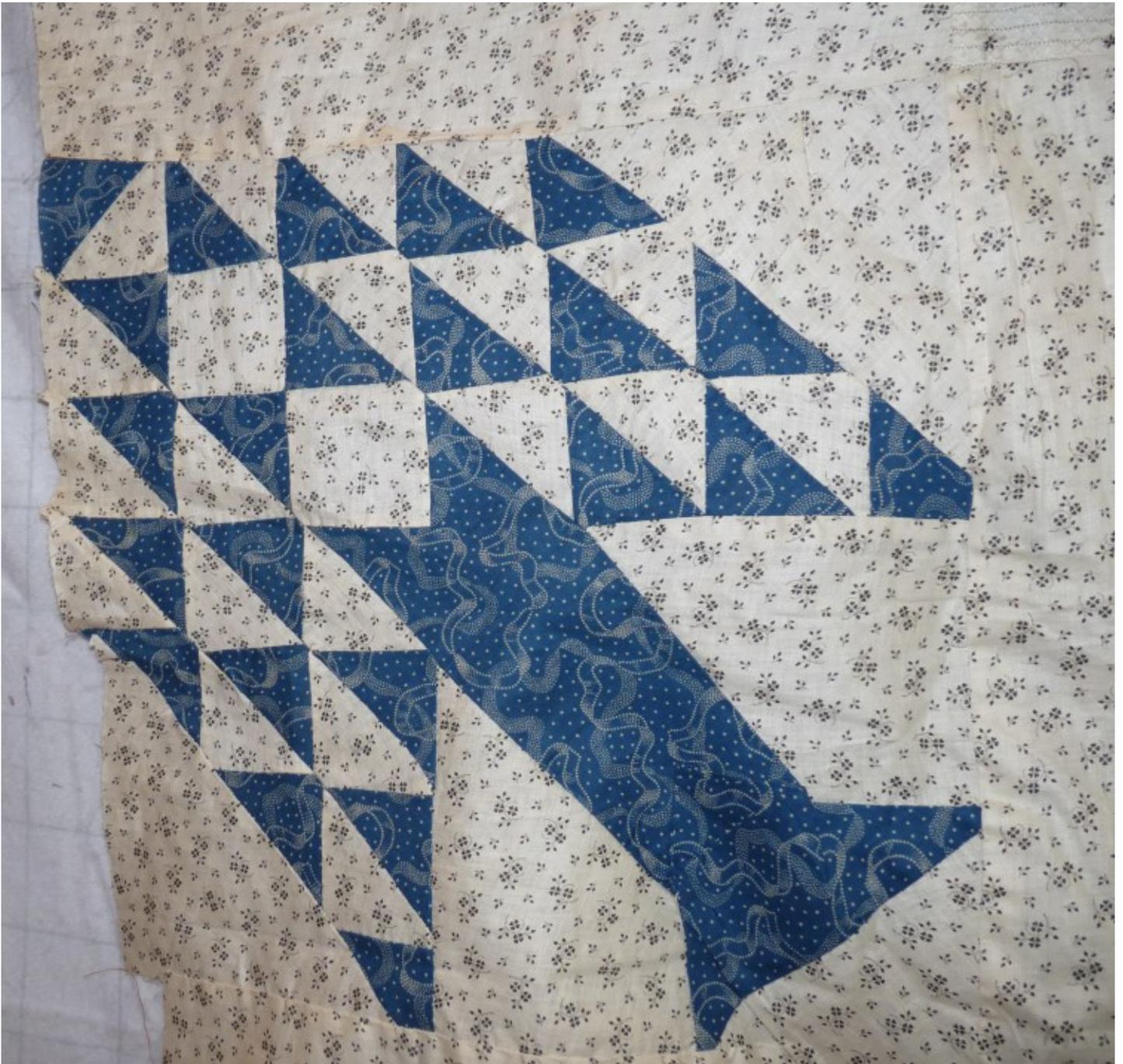
Restoration & Repair Measures

Repair & Restoration:

No signs of repair or restoration other than those described to assemble the quilt top as top stitching.

There is some torn fabric and a few stains.











Appraisal

No.

Purchase Information

Supplies

- Vintage top: \$ 75
 - Date of Purchase: August 19, 2022
 - Vendor Contact Information
 - Vendor at Wally's Castle
 - 3637 Clyde Park Ave
 - Wyoming, MI
 - Phone: 616 330 0530