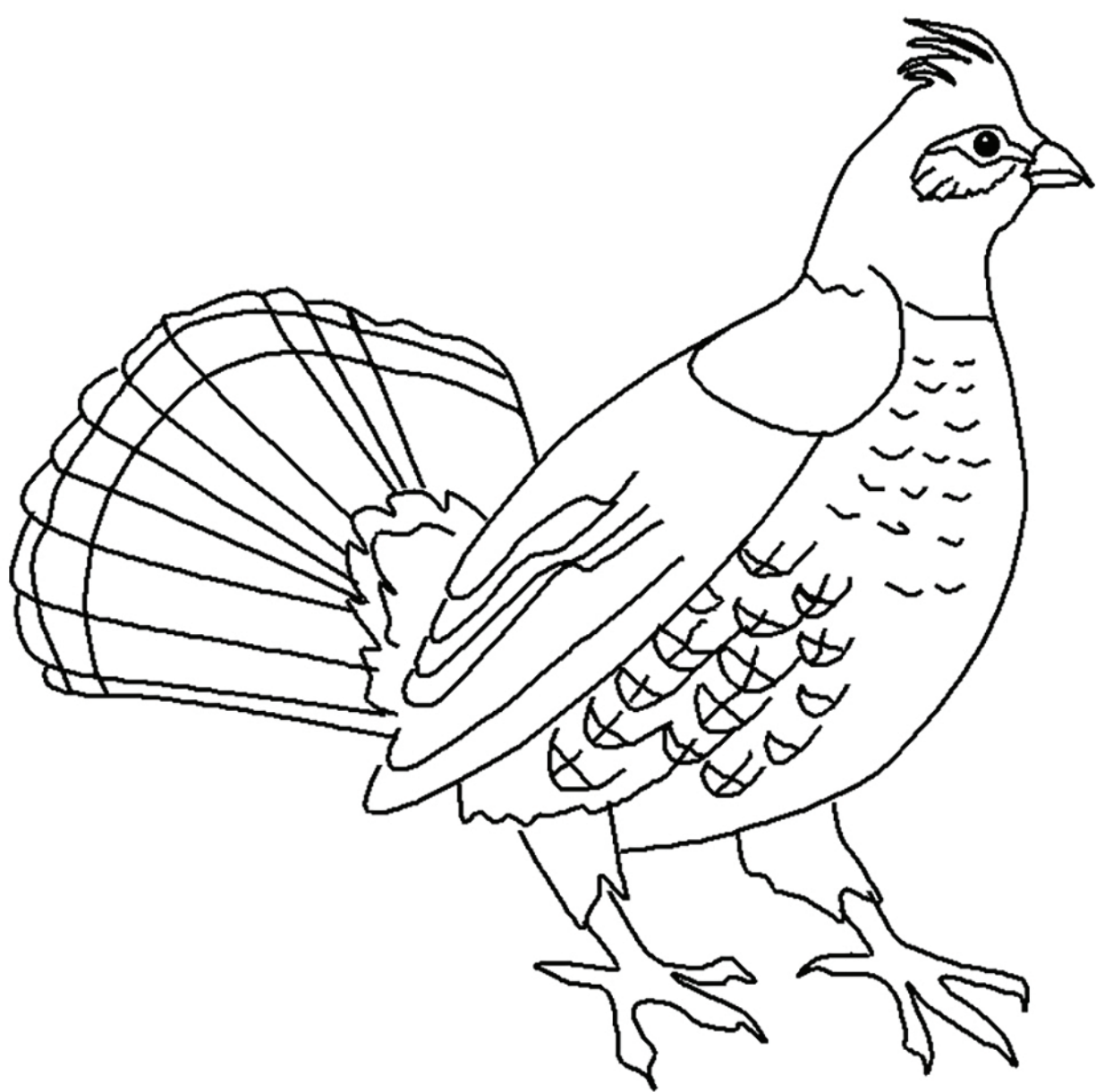




Ruffed Grouse

- the most notable characteristic of the Ruffed Grouse isn't how they look -- it's how they sound. In the spring the male ruffed grouse beats the air with his wings to make a very loud drumming sound.
- the female lays 9 to 12 buff colored eggs each year.
- adopted as Pennsylvania's state bird on June 22, 1931.