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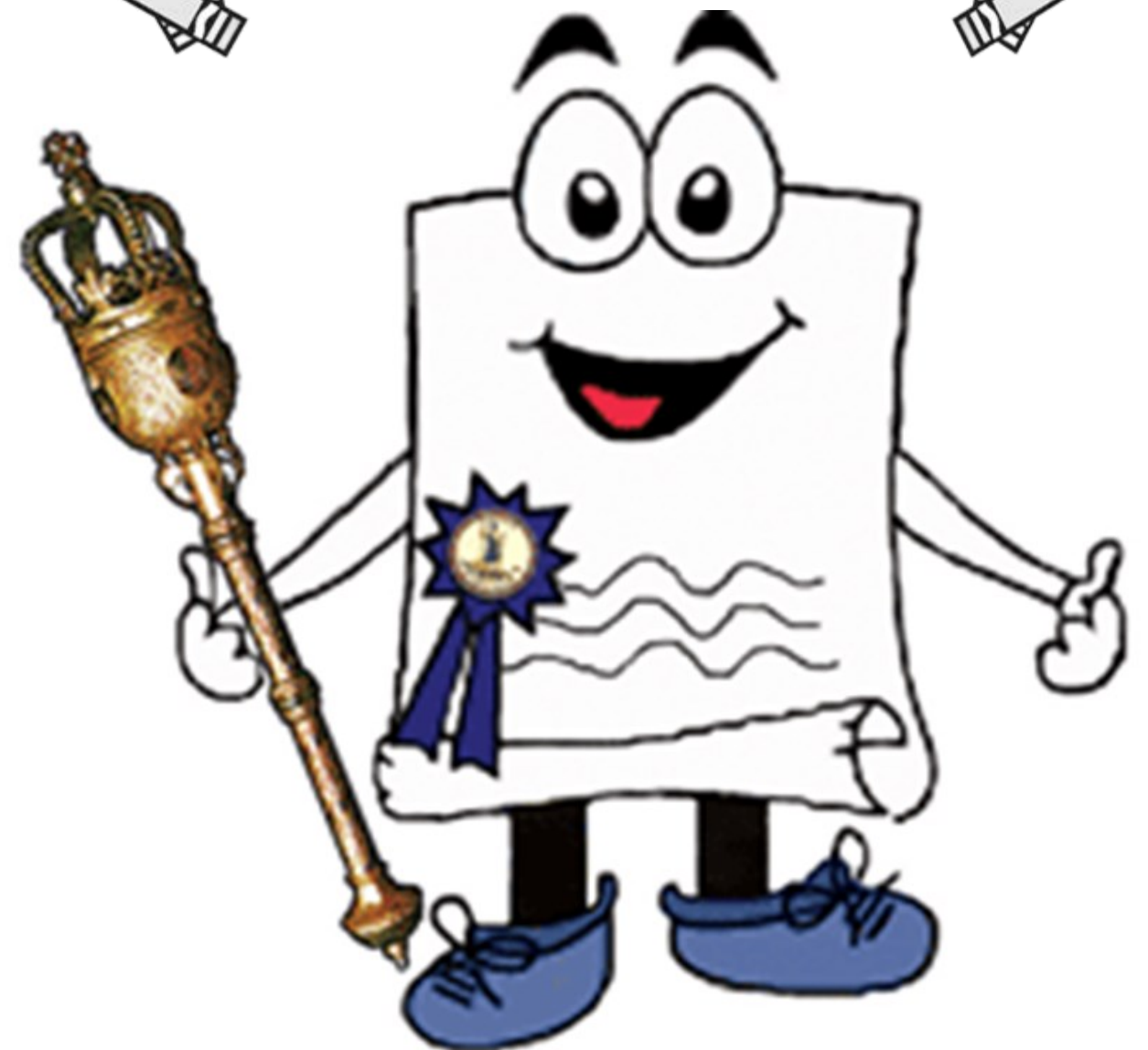
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# Virginia House of Delegates

# COLORING



# For Teachers and Parents:

Virginia Social Studies SOLs covered in this book:



For students in grades 4 and up, there is an additional activity book available from the *House of Delegates ICS Office* that is grade-level appropriate and correlates to *Virginia Social Studies Standards of Learning*.

# State Dance

## Square Dance



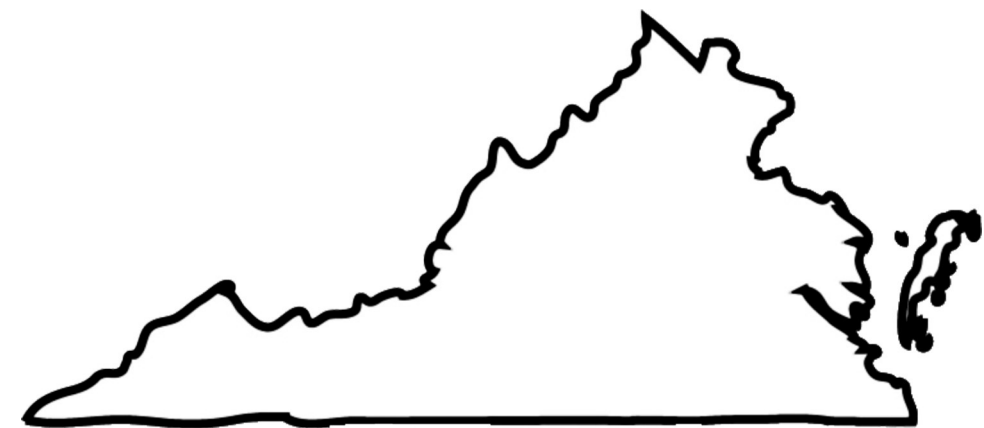
The **Square Dance** is an *American Folk Dance*. There are other American Folk dances along with the **Square Dance** that include the Round Dance, Clog Dance, and Line Dance.

# Virginia History

Virginia is rich in history. This coloring book depicts much of that history. Virginia was the site of the first English settlement and is called the ‘Mother of Presidents’, with eight Virginia born U.S. Presidents, including four of the first five Presidents.

Some of the women that are in the Virginia Women’s monument, *Voices from the Garden*, are also in this book. These women, representative of the states’ regions, its 400-year history, and the diversity of achievement, ethnicity and thought has made the Commonwealth what it is today.

Virginia also has many Official State emblems that represent the cultural heritage & natural treasures of the Commonwealth. Many of the emblems were brought to focus in the General Assembly by school groups.



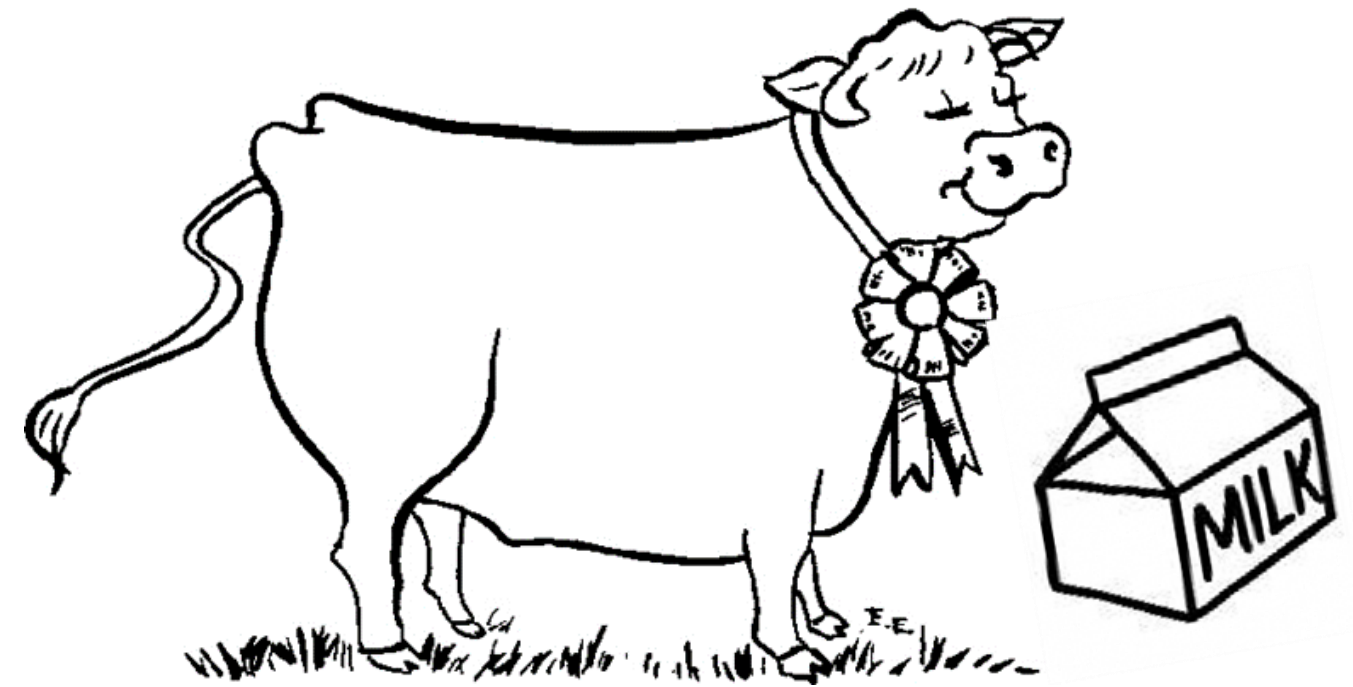
Virginia E. Randolph, Educator



The child of former slaves, Randolph's work took her throughout the South and earned her a national and international reputation as a leader in education. This monument is part of the Women's Monument, *Voices in the Garden*, that is on Capitol Square.

# State Beverage

## Milk

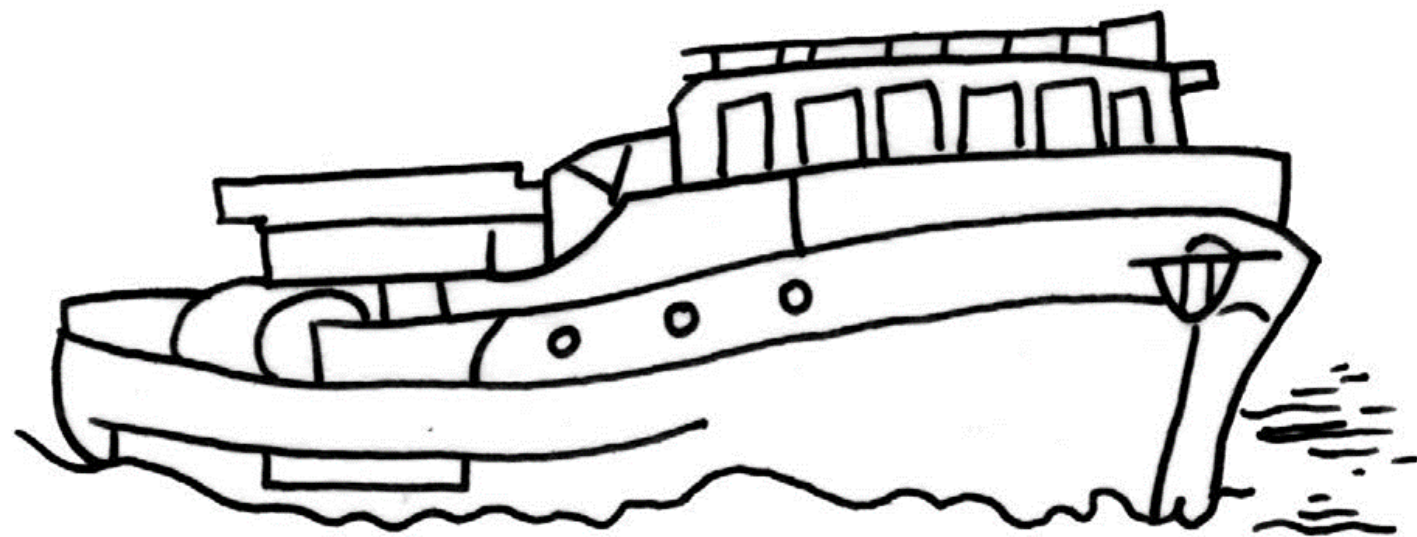


**Milk** is a healthy drink that we get from cows. **Milk** is used for butter and cheese, too!

The average dairy cow in Virginia makes 1,860 gallons of milk every year.

# State Boat

## Chesapeake Bay Deadrise



Fisherman use the state boat, the **Chesapeake Bay Deadrise**, to raise the oysters up from the sea floor.

Anne Burras Laydon



Laydon represents the women who sailed to Virginia and survived deprivation to establish a thriving colony. This monument is a part of the Women's Monument, **Voices in the Garden**, that is on Capitol Square.

## Adele Clark, Woman Suffrage



Clark's interest in the woman suffrage movement began in 1909 when she helped establish the *Equal Suffrage League of Virginia*. This monument is part of the Women's Monument, **Voices in the Garden**, that is on Capitol Square.

## State Shell

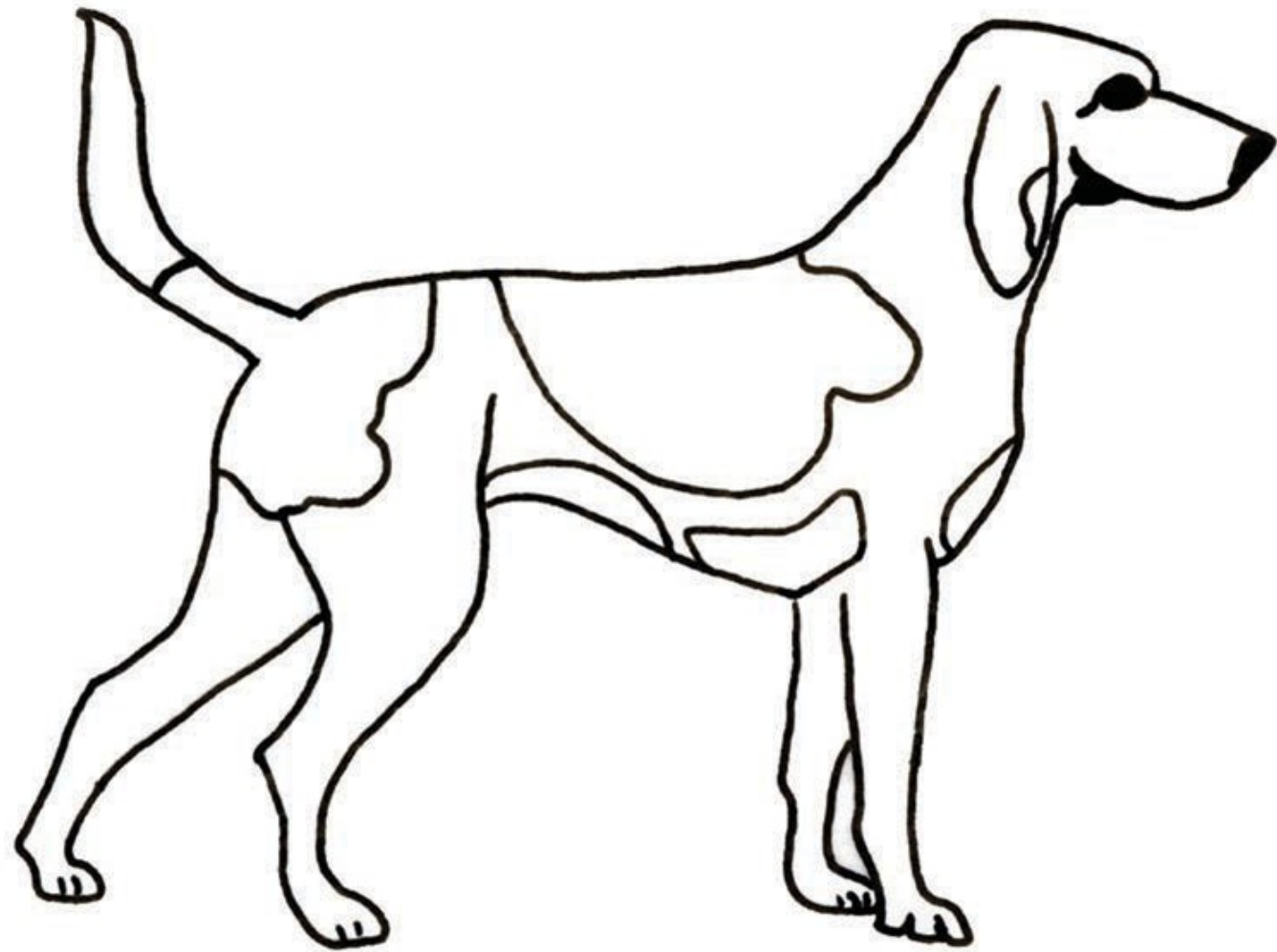
### Oyster Shell



The state shell is the **Oyster**. The shape of the shell varies depending on how crowded they are in the oyster bed. Oysters can live as long as 20 years.

# State Dog

## American Foxhound



The **American Foxhound** was developed in colonial times purely for the sport of hunting foxes.

## Cockacoeske, Pamunkey Chief



Cockacoeske became leader of the Pamunkey after the death of her husband in 1656. Cockacoeske was an astute leader and skillful politician. This Monument is part of the Women's Monument, **Voices in the Garden**, that is on Capitol Square.

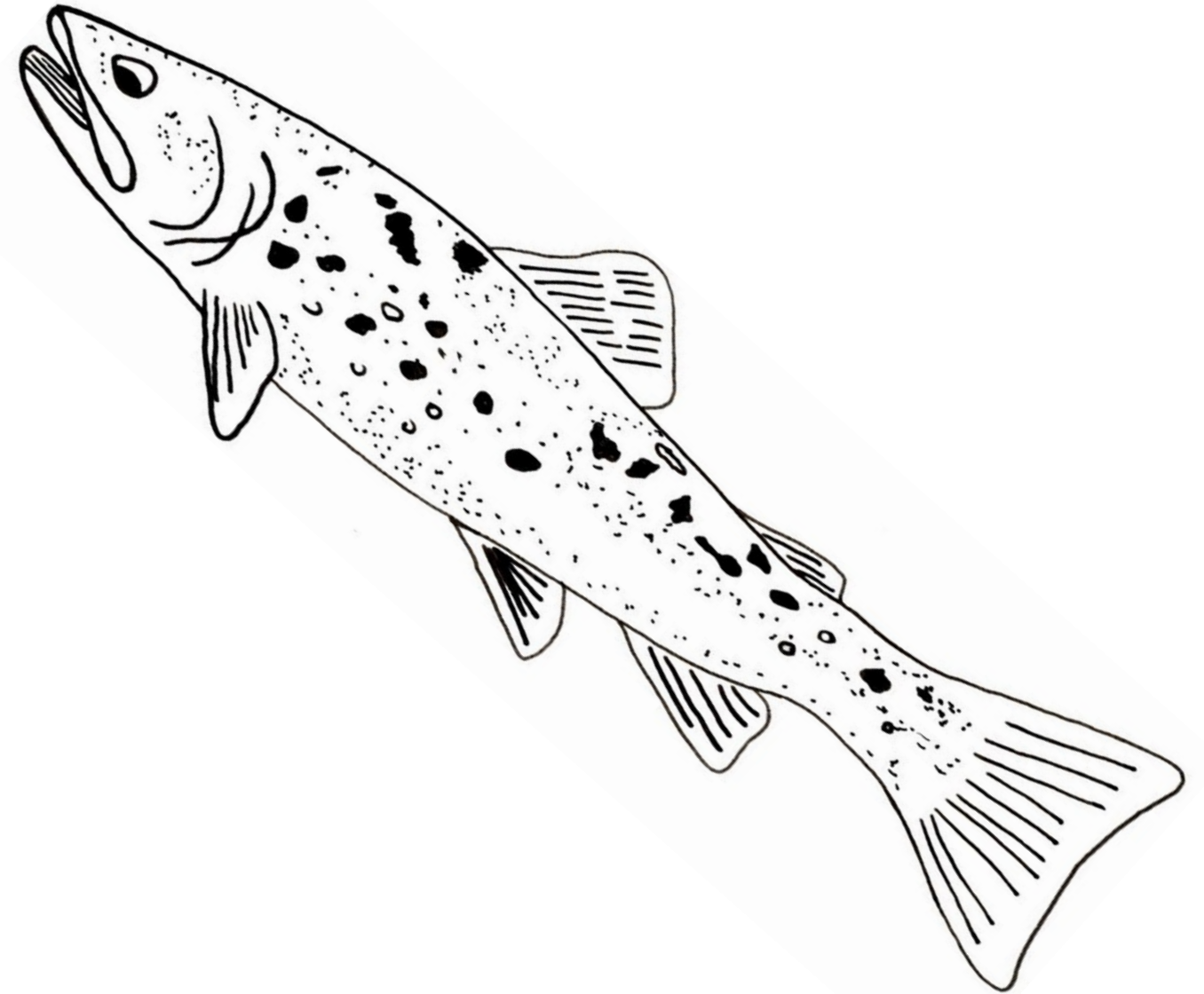
## Martha Washington, First Lady



When George Washington was elected president, Martha Washington understood that her behavior would set a precedent for the wives of the country's future chief executives. This monument is part of the Women's Monument, **Voices in the Garden**, that is on Capitol Square.

## State Fish

### Brook Trout



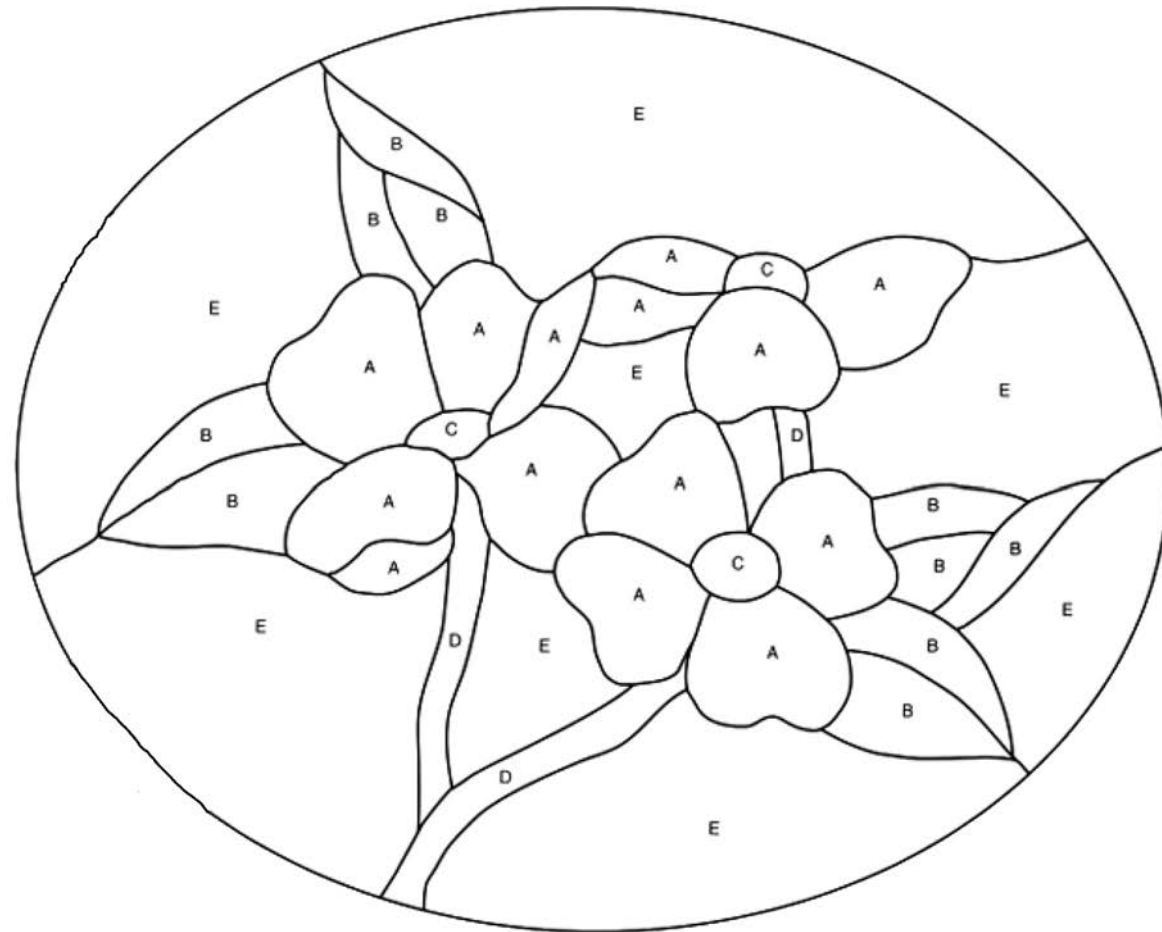
The **Brook Trout** surfaces only in clear, cold water and populates the mountain rivers and streams of Virginia. Brook trout relics of the last ice age were left behind when the glaciers receded.



# State Flower and State Tree

## American Dogwood

Maggie L. Walker, Entrepreneur



### Color by letters!

- Color every letter "A" pink or white.
- Color every letter "B" green.
- Color every letter "C" yellow.
- Color every letter "D" brown.
- Color every letter "E" light blue.

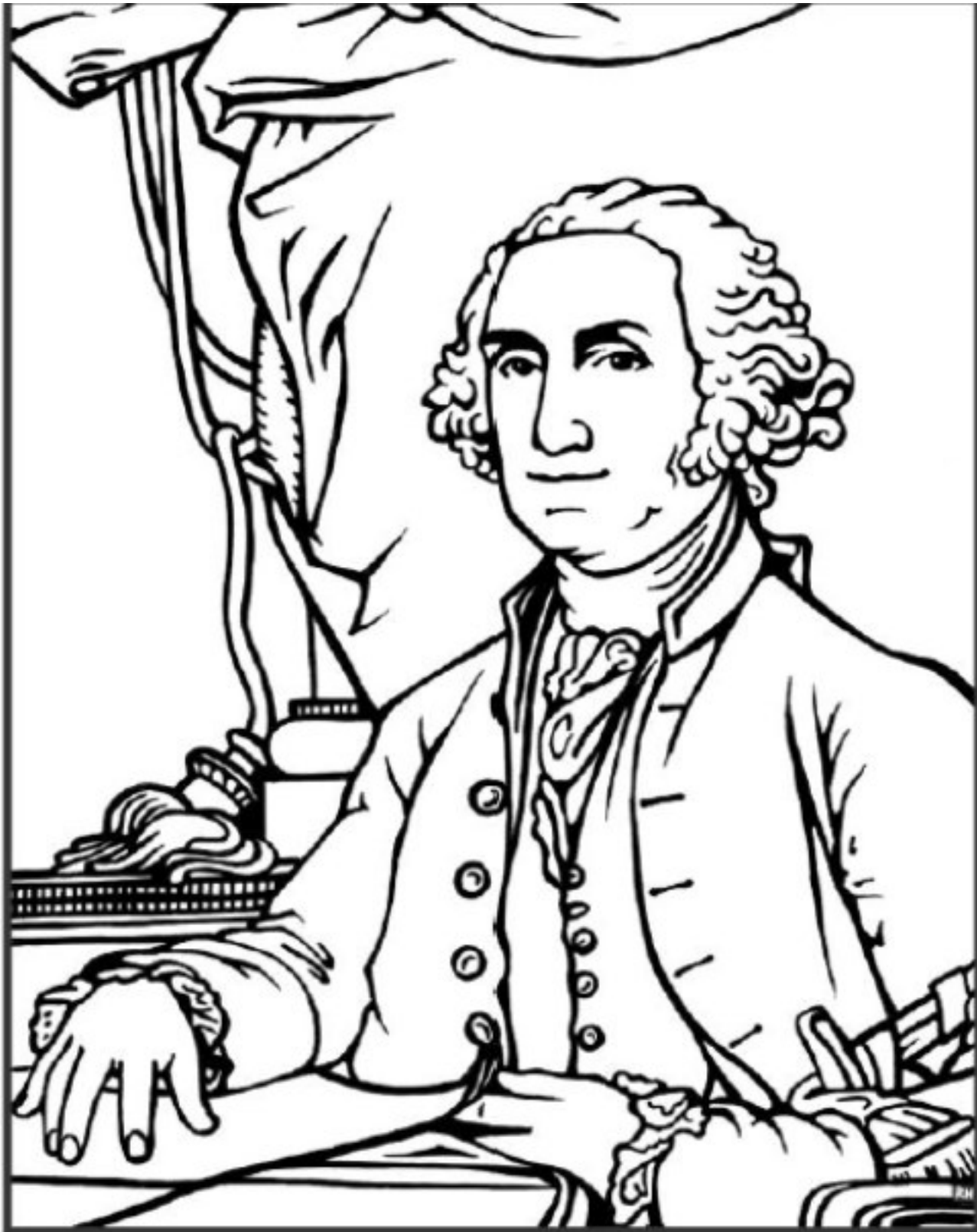
The **American Dogwood** is special- it's a tree and a flower!  
The white or pink flowers grow on trees with green leaves.



Maggie Walker joined the independent *Order of Saint Luke*, an African American fraternal organization, in 1881 and rose through the ranks. In 1901 she declared her intention to expand the Order's services for its members to include a bank, a newspaper, and a department store. This monument is part of the Women's Monument, **Voices in the Garden**, that is on Capitol Square.

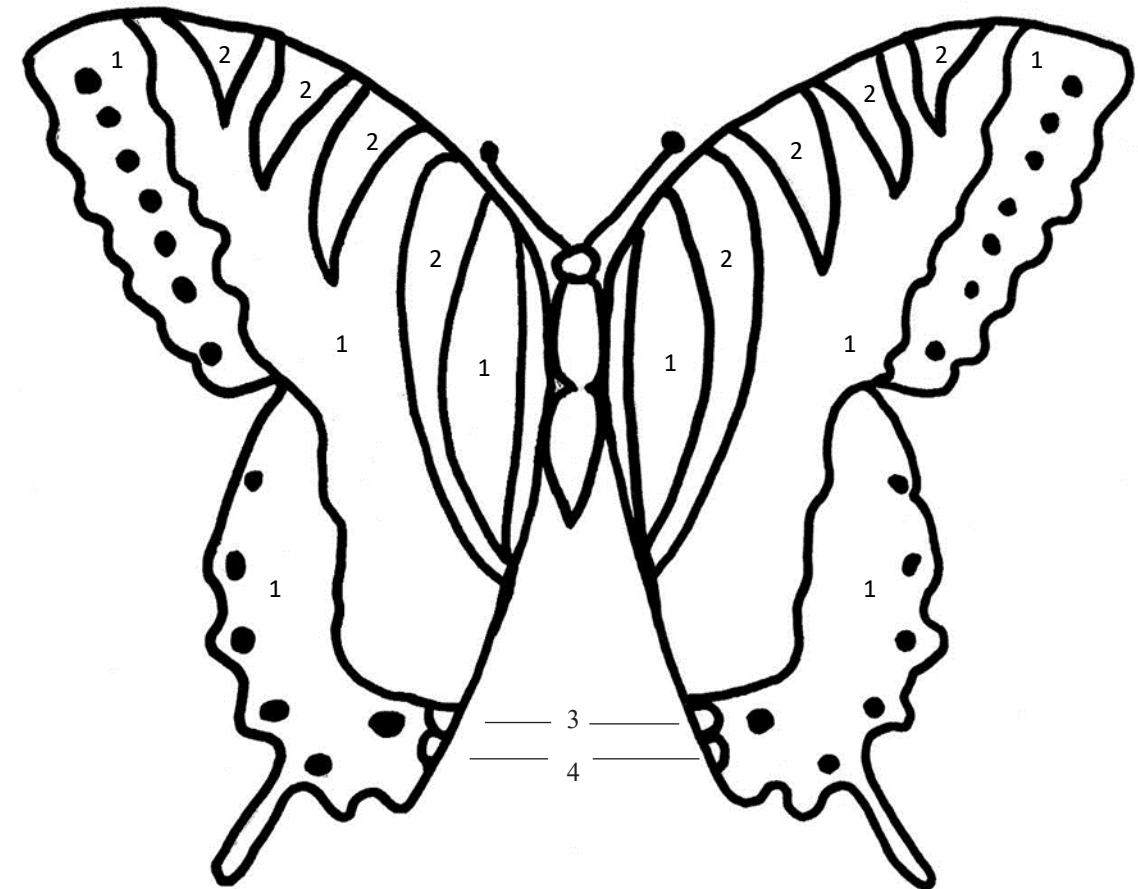
# "Mother of Presidents"

This president was born in Virginia:



1. George Washington 1789-1797

## State Insect Tiger Swallowed Butterfly

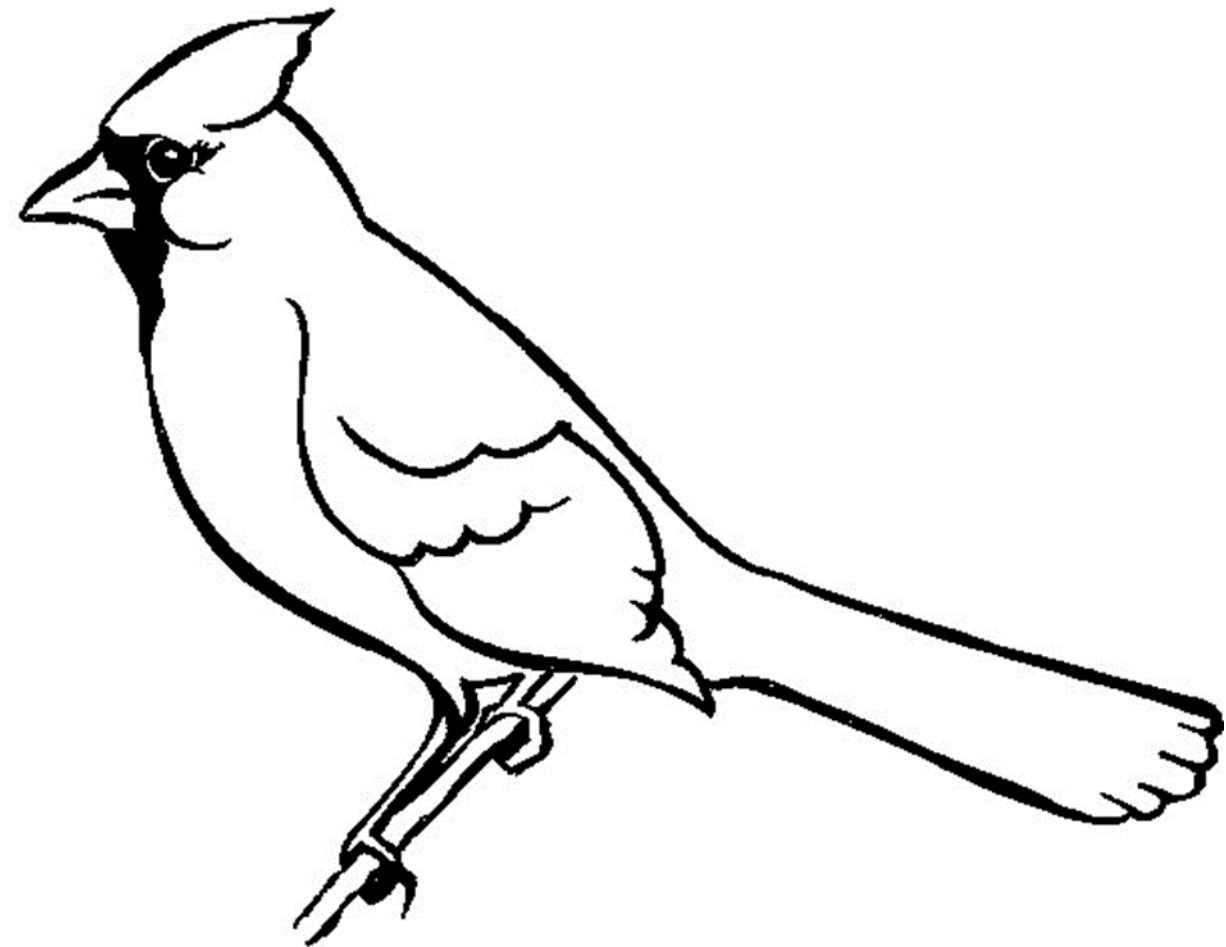


Color by numbers!  
Color every "1" yellow.  
Color every "2" black.  
Color every "3" blue.  
Color every "4" red.

The state insect is called a **Tiger Swallowtail Butterfly** because its stripes make it look like a tiger.

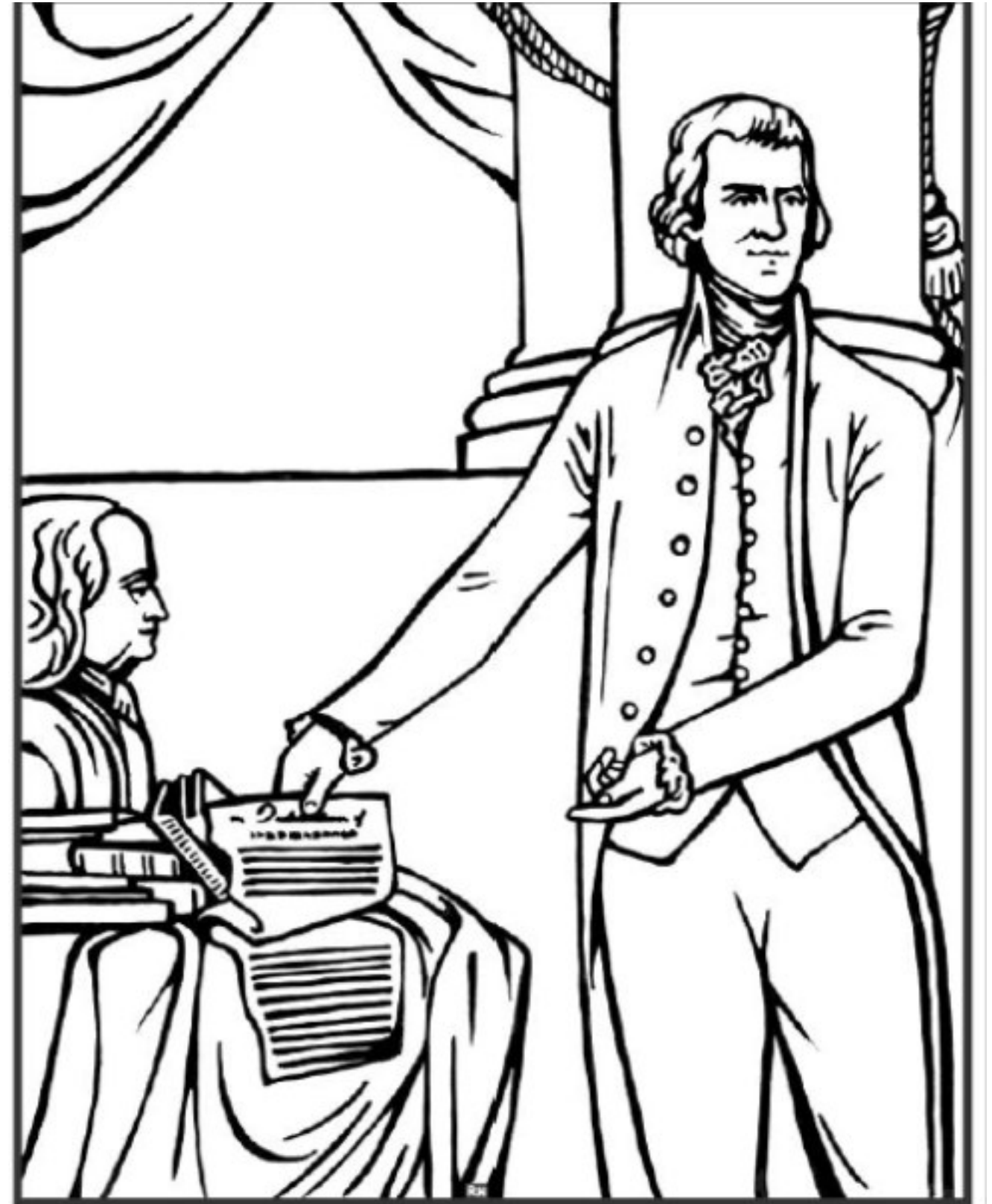
# State Bird

## Cardinal



The state bird is the **Cardinal**, a native species of Virginia.  
You can spot them outside because they are bright **RED**!

“Mother of Presidents”  
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3. Thomas Jefferson 1801–1809

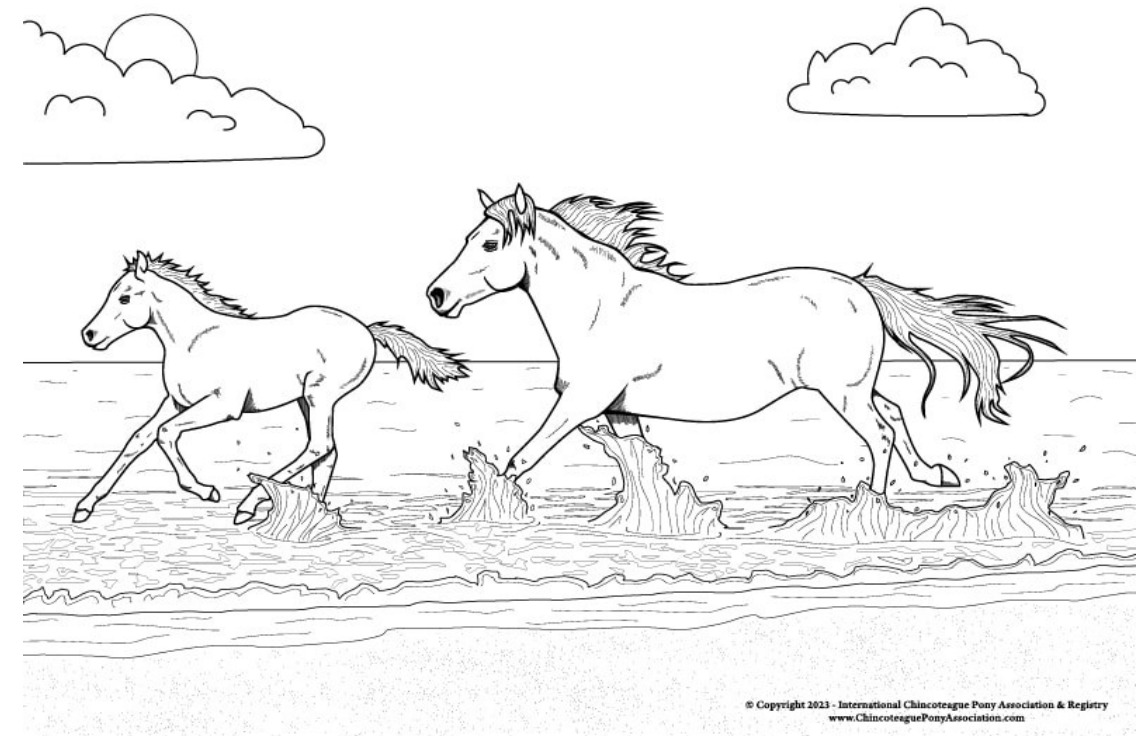
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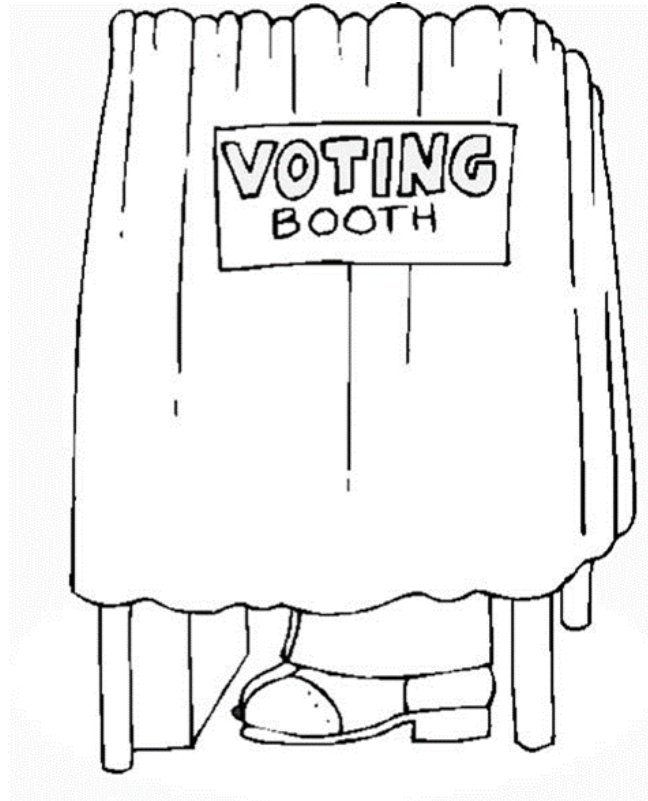
4. James Madison 1809–1817

## State Emblems



Each year, tens of thousands visit Chincoteague Island to see the Annual Pony Swim, where the horses swim from their home on Assateague Island across a channel to Chincoteague Island. The legendary wild ponies became famous after the popular children's book *“Misty of Chincoteague”* by Marguerite Henry was published in 1947.

# Being a Good Citizen



Citizens vote on the Tuesday after the first Monday in November.



## "Mother of Presidents"

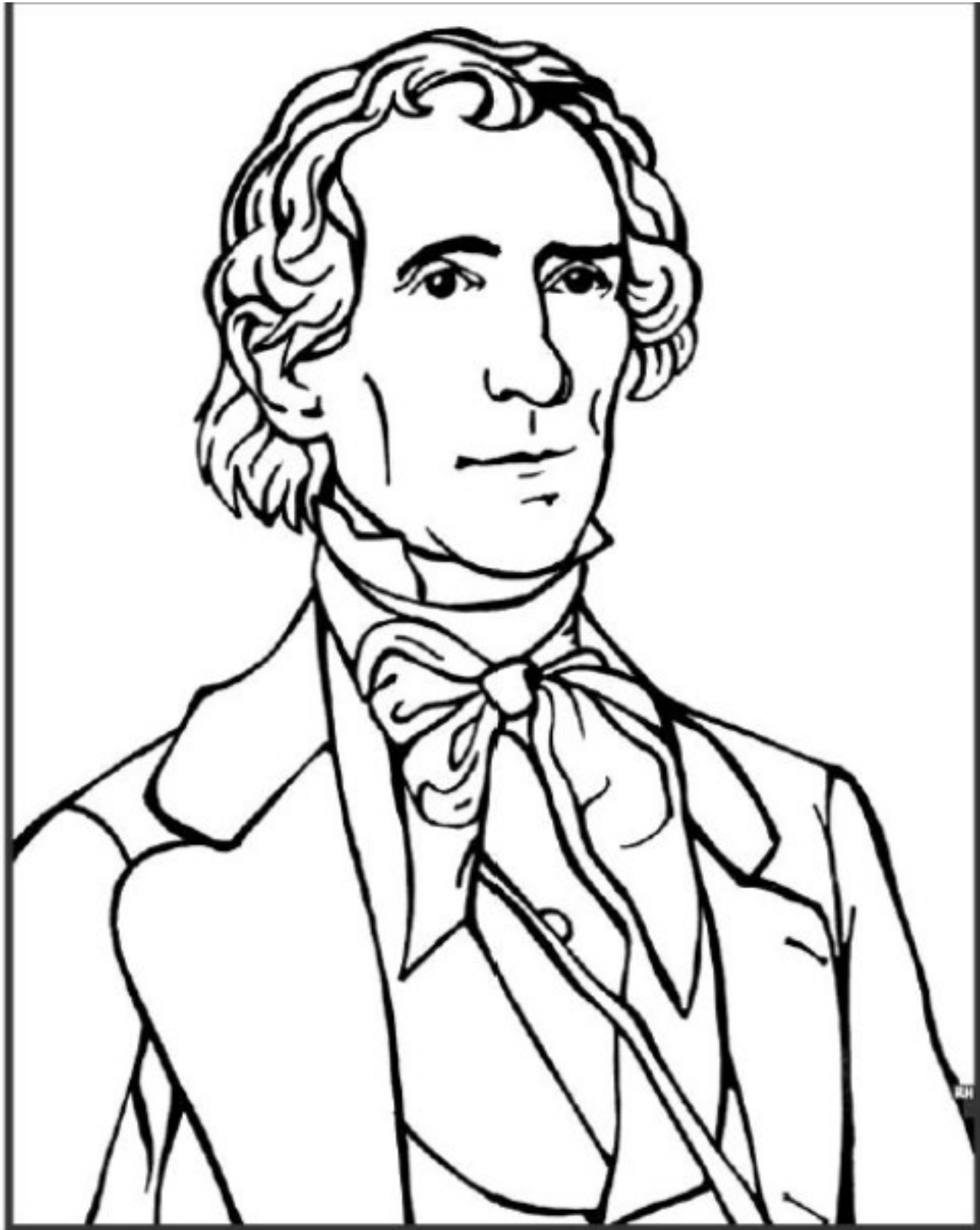
This president was born in Virginia:



9. William H. Harrison 1841

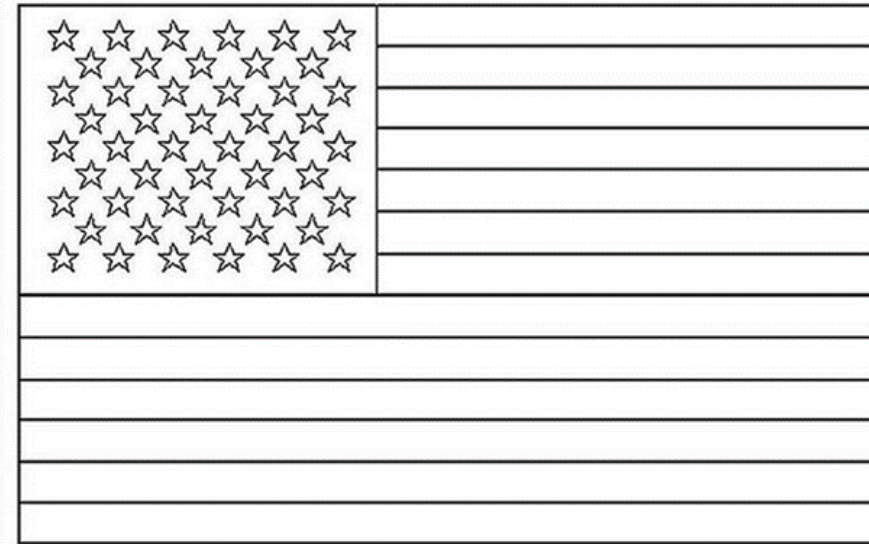
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10. John Tyler 1841–1845

## U.S. Flag



I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one Nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

## Virginia Flag



The Virginia flag has the *Seal of Virginia* in the middle of a blue background.

# State Seal

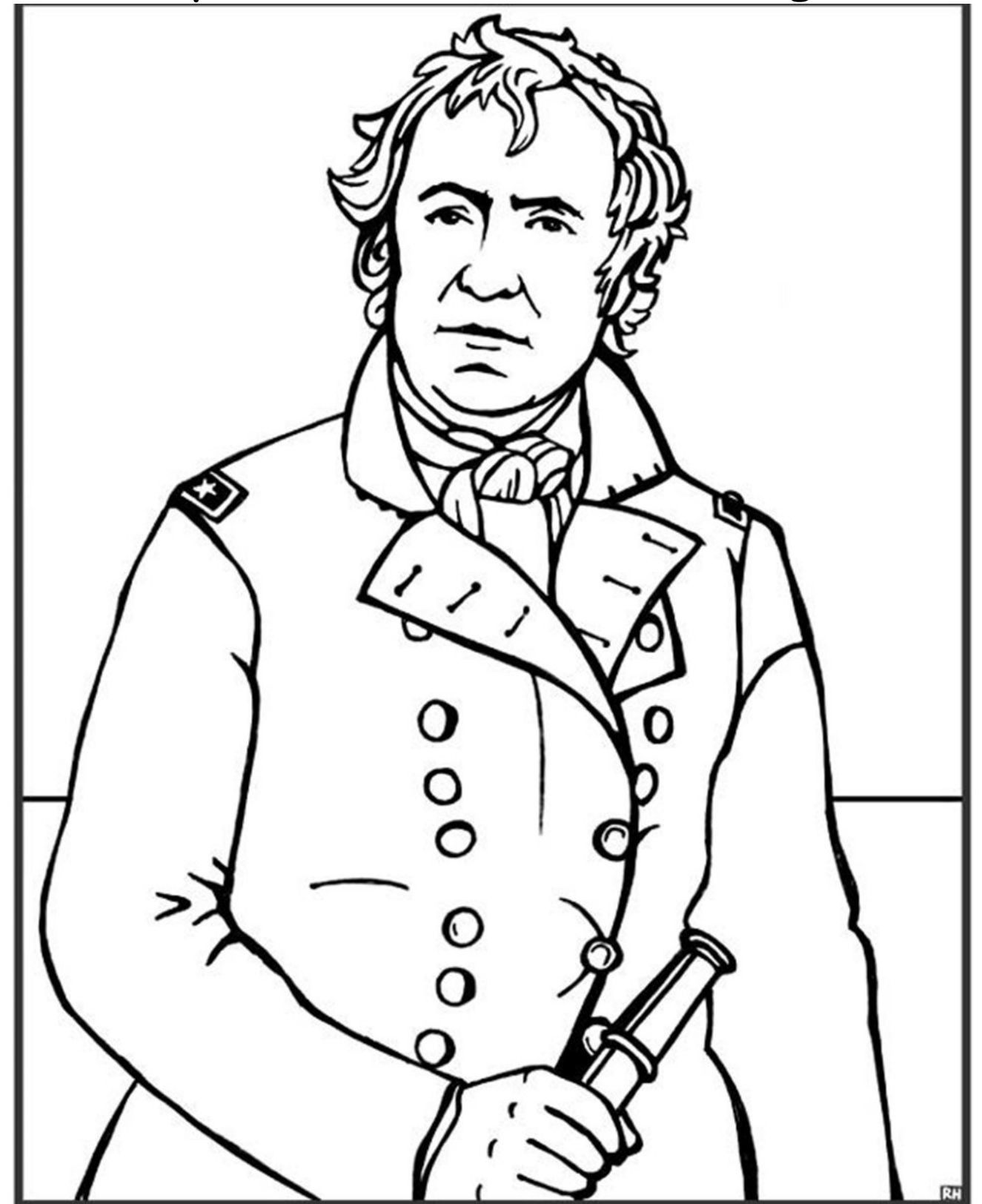


The State Seal of the Commonwealth of Virginia symbolizes "Victory over Tyranny".

Virginia's motto, "**Sic Semper Tyrannis**" (This Always to Tyrants) appears at the bottom of the seal.

"Mother of Presidents"

This president was born in Virginia:



12. Zachary Taylor 1849–1850

## "Mother of Presidents"

This president was born in Virginia:



5. James Monroe 1817-1825

## "Mother of Presidents"

This president was born in Virginia:



28. Woodrow Wilson 1913-1921