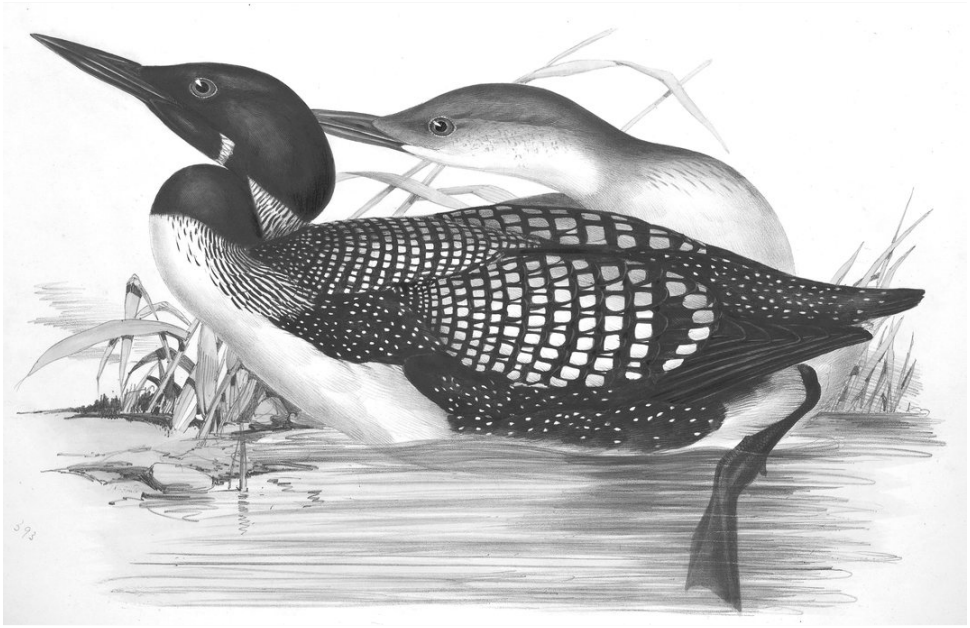
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BLACK AND WHITE



MINNESOTA STATE BIRD

Common Loon

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Law: Minnesota Statutes § 1.145 (Laws 1961, chapter 76)

Signed: March 13, 1961, by Governor Elmer L. Andersen

State flower: Pink and white lady slipper (1902)

State animal: None

Loons in Minnesota: About 12,000 in summer, more than any state but Alaska

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