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**Baltimore City Court.**

THE STATE OF MARYLAND

ON THE APPLICATION OF

*Soma Hawkins*

vs.

*House of Correction for  
Colored Boys*

**PETITION FOR WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS.**

MR. LINDSAY, Clerk,

Please file and issue Writ

*Dan Evans*

Attorney for *relator*

DEC 11 1926

Filed..... day of..... 192.....

# In The Baltimore City Court.

To the Honorable

The Judge of the Baltimore City Court:

*Loma Hawkins*

Prays for a Writ of Habeas Corpus to bring up the body of *William Seathery*

now illegally imprisoned, detained and restrained of *his* liberty  
by *Supt of House of Reformation for Colored Boys*

at *Cheltenham*

*Against Evans*

Attorney for Realitor.

GRANTED, returnable on *Friday*, the *17<sup>th</sup>* day of  
*December*, 192*6*, *12* o'clock *PM*.

(The realtor to notify the State's Attorney or his Deputy.)

*Albert S. Evans*

No. 4704

CITY COURT.

STATE OF MARYLAND  
ON APPLICATION OF

Louisa Hawkins, on behalf of

William Leatherby,

vs.

The House of Reformation for

Colored Boys,

Cheltenham, Md.,

HABEAS CORPUS

Davis & Eavens,

ATTORNEY FOR RELATOR.

Filed 17<sup>th</sup> day of Dec. 1926

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THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE ON

STATE OF MARYLAND,

BALTIMORE CITY. SCT.

To The House of Reformation for Colored

Boys, Cheltenham, Md.

GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to have the body of William Leatherby

detained under your custody, as it is said, under a safe and secure conduct, together with the day and cause of him being taken and detained, by whatsoever name he shall be called in the same, before the Honorable Albert S.G. Owens, one of the Associate Judges of the Supreme Bench of Baltimore City, and sitting as the Judge-at-Large No. 3 for the Baltimore City Court, on the 17th day of December 1926 at 12 o'clock Noon M., to do and receive all and singular those things which the said Judge shall then and there consider concerning him in this behalf, and have you then and there this writ.

WITNESS the HONORABLE JAMES P. GORTER, Chief Judge of the Supreme Bench of Baltimore City, this 14th day of September 1926

Issued this 11th day of December 1926

George Leasey Lindsay Clerk.

Wm. Leatherbury

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Journal of Information

(FOR COLORED BOYS)

CHELSEA, MD

# House of Reformation

(FOR COLORED BOYS)

ROBERT F. ROBERTS  
PRESIDENT

W. H. JANNEY  
SECRETARY AND TREASURER

ENOCH HARLAN  
VICE-PRESIDENT

JOHN B. PYLES  
SUPERINTENDENT

B. B. SUNDERLAND  
VISITING AGENT

C. & P. TELEPHONE  
BRANDYWINE 11-F6

CHELTENHAM, Md., December 16, 1926.

Mr. W. H. Janney,  
Room 203 Vickers Building,  
#225 East Redwood St.,  
Baltimore, Md.

My dear Mr. Janney:- With reference to the record of William Leatherberry #4828 I beg to state that he was committed to us June 3, 1925 by the Juvenile Court of Baltimore City minor without proper care. He is now in the 2 Honor Grade and is eligible for parole.

Very truly yours,

*John B. Pyles*  
Supt.

57. 17° Dec. 1926.

State of Maryland,

EX RELATIONE

Louisa Hawkins, on behalf of  
William Leatherby,

*Versus*

House of Reformation for Colored

Boys, Cheltenham, Md,

RESPONDENT

IN THE

Baltimore City Court.

Writ of Habeas Corpus.

September Term, 1926

Ordered by the Court this 17th day of December 1926

that William Leatherby mentioned in this proceeding

be and he is hereby allowed to go home with

~~the Custody of the Respondent~~ his grandmother, and that the

House of Reformation for Colored boys

shall provide him with the custody of his

grandmother Louisa Hawkins and

when so provided this Habeas Corpus proceeding

will be dismissed by the Court

Albert J. Owens



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vs.  
House of Correction  
for Colored Boys  
Cheltenham Md.

**HABEAS CORPUS**

Writ of Habeas Corpus served on  
Superintendent of  
House of Correction  
for Colored Boys  
on the 14. day of Dec.

1926 at \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock \_\_\_\_\_ M.

in presence of Mailed

John D. Potee Sheriff.

FILED DEC 18 1926

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