

LOUDOUN Co MISC. PAPERS - FREE BLACKS
1837

BURY, CATHERINE

1837-13

CHURCHILL C. CAMBRELLING

Petition of Coltham
Being to renew free
papers.

1837 Nov 13th order to
be renewed &c

County of Washington
District of Columbia to wit

This day Churchill C
Cambrelling personally appeared before me
a justice of the peace, for the District
aforesaid, and made oath, that Catharine
Berry a free woman of color, now in his
employment; had her trunk and all her
clothing, destroyed by fire, in the month
of March last. and that he has every
reason to believe that her certificate of
freedom was destroyed at the same
time. that she is a girl whose character
is as fair as that of any coloured person
he has ever known. Given under my
hand and seal this 9th day of October
in the year 1837.

C C Cambrelling ~~(seal)~~

Sworn to in due form of law, before me the day above
written -

J. W. C. C.
Justice of Peace for
County of Washington
District of Columbia,