

DARK BAY OR BROWN COLT	{	Kurofune	(1998)	{	French Deputy	{	Deputy Minister	
				{	Blue Avenue	{	Mitterand	
	{	Castalia	(2003)	{	Sunday Silence	{	Classic Go Go	
				{	Catalyst	{	Eliza Blue	
							{	Halo
							{	Wishing Well
						{	Sadler's Wells	
						{	Welsh Love	

[Northern Dancer 4DX5S, Nearctic 5SX5D]

By **KUROFUNE (USA)**. 2001 Best dirt horse in Japan, Japan Cup Dirt **[JPN1]**-ncr, NHK Mile Cup **[JPN1]**, etc. Brother to Bella Bellucci (Astarita S. **[G2]**). Retired to stud in 2002. Sire of CURREN CHAN (Sprinters S. **[G1]**), WHALE CAPTURE (Victoria Mile **[G1]**), SLEEPLESS NIGHT (Sprinters S. **[G1]**), FUSAICHI RICHARD (Asahi Hai Futurity S. **[JPN1]**), KUROFUNE SURPRISE **[G3]**, IMPULSE HERO **[G3]**, EARTH SONIC **[G3]**, STALK AND RAY **[G3]**, etc.

1st dam

CATALIA (JPN), by Sunday Silence (USA). Winner in Japan. Dam of 3 foals of racing age, 1 to race —

Curren Vittoria (JPN) (11 c. by Jungle Pocket (JPN)). Placed in Japan.

Kalliopeia (JPN) (12 f. by Meisho Samson (JPN)). In Training.

2nd dam

CATALYST (IRE), by Sadler's Wells (USA). Winner in Ireland. Half-sister to **SECOND EMPIRE (IRE)**, **BALESTRINI (IRE)**, **IHTIRAM (IRE)**, **HEMINGWAY (IRE)**, **AJHIBA (IRE)**. Dam of —

WELSH STELLAR (IRE) (f. by Zafonic (USA)). 3 wins in Japan. Dam of —

STELLAR LEAD (JPN) (f. by Special Week (JPN)). 2 wins in Japan, 48,730,000Yen, Hakodate Nisai S **[L]**.

3rd dam

Welsh Love (IRE), by Ela-Mana-Mou (IRE) Winner in Ireland, 2nd Diamond S **[L]**. Half-sister to **FLAME OF TARA (IRE)**. Dam of —

SECOND EMPIRE (IRE). 4 wins in France and Ireland, champion 2-year-old in Ireland, Grand Criterium **[G1]**, Desmond S **[G3]**, Prix des Chenes **[G3]**, 3rd Irish 2000 Guineas **[G1]**, Prix du Moulin de Longchamp **[G1]**, Queen Elizabeth II S **[G1]**. Sire.

BALESTRINI (IRE). 2 wins in Ireland and N.A., Ballysax S **[G3]**, 3rd Bay Meadows Breeder's Cup H **[G3]**. Sire.

IHTIRAM (IRE). 9 wins in England and Australia, Steventon S **[L]**, Ballarat Cup **[L]**, 2nd C. W. Heron S **[L]**. Sire.

HEMINGWAY (IRE). 2 wins in England and Ireland, Acomb S **[L]**. Sire.

AJHIBA (IRE). 2 wins in England, Upavon Fillies' S **[L]**. Dam of —

BELENUS (IRE). 3 wins in England, Sovereign S **[G3]**, 2nd Hampton Court S **[L]**, Steventon S **[L]**.

4th dam

WELSH FLAME (GB), by Welsh Pageant (FR). 4 wins in England. Dam of **FLAME OF TARA (IRE)** (Coronation S **[G2]**), grandam of

SALSABIL (IRE) (Irish Derby **[G1]**, Oaks S **[G1]**), **MARJU (IRE)** (St. James's Palace S **[G1]**), **NORTHERN SPUR (IRE)** (Breeders' Cup Turf **[G1]**).