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- **92** **Domaine de la Butte Bourgueil Le Haut de la Butte 2005 \$20** Packed with muscular chestnut, currant, olive paste and sweet tobacco notes, all pushed by some serious grip on the finish. Approachable, but better with short-term cellaring. Drink now through 2011. 20 cases imported.—J.M.

- **89** **Domaine de la Taille Aux Loups Vouvray Sec Clos de la Bretonnière 2005 \$30** Clean-cut, with fresh ginger, spice, almond and fig flavors backed by a fresh, minerally finish. Drink now through 2009. 25 cases imported.—J.M.

- **88** **Domaine de la Taille Aux Loups Montlouis Sur Loire Moelleux 2005 \$45** Frankly sweet, with cardamom, ginger and buttered brioche flavors, followed by a soft finish. A solid crowd-pleaser, but lacks the range to be outstanding. Drink now through 2009. 25 cases imported.—J.M.