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A FIRST LOOK AT OUR EDITORS' MOST EXCITING NEW WINES

California

CAPTÛRE

Sauvignon Blanc Sonoma County Les Pionniers 2009

92 points | \$36 | 360 cases made | White

Impressive for its smooth elegance and clarity, with fragrant apple blossom, passion fruit, Meyer lemon and green apple flavors. Manages to balance crisp acidity with refinement. Drink now through 2015.—*M.W.*

CAPTÛRE

Sauvignon Blanc California Tradition 2009

91 points | \$30 | 875 cases made | White

An elegant, restrained style, this still has plenty of ripe fruit flavors, with citrus, melon and apricot notes, but the silky texture, mineral details, perfumed highlights and acidity that weaves in and out provide an air of refinement. Drink now.—*M.W.*