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**PART TWO: SPECIAL WINTER PREVIEW SECTION**

## WEEKEND JOURNAL.

### **HOUSEWARMING**

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## *A Host of Possibilities*

FLOWERS, CANDY AND CHAMPAGNE are all perfectly safe holiday housegifts, but what if you want to be more original? We asked retailers and manufacturers what's new, and hostesses what they'd most like to receive. Here are some of their suggestions:

#### **Medallion of foie gras with 2% truffles**

\$19

[www.dartagnan.com](http://www.dartagnan.com)

800-327-8246

**WHAT IT IS:** Six-ounce sausage-shaped tube filled with an emulsion of fatted-duck liver, black truffles and wine. Sliced, it serves six.

**THE PITCH:** Two-thirds the price of pure foie gras, this spreadable product, which can also be squeezed out of a pastry bag, was named the outstanding new product at this year's Fancy Food Show in New York. It's the best-selling new release in the 20-year history of the company, which is known for its foie gras, wild game and organically raised meats.