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RIGHT NOW BAZAAR

BY HARRY ROBERTS

BUDGIE SMUGGLER American designer Jonathan Adler has assembled his eccentric wares in a new London boutique. In the mix are works by Australian photographer Leila Jeffreys, whose budgerigars (left) have captivated the taste-maker. jonathanadler.com



LA CROIX SWEETIE

Epicureans can feast on fresh food, fine wine and superb French furnishings at Glenda Hampton-Kalyk and Annie Wilkes's Potts Point boutique, La Croix. The Iain Halliday-designed interior evokes the mood of Paris, where indulgent delights are always on the menu. lacroix.com.au

HOT SPOTTERS Dunlin is an online emporium from interior designers Nicholas Barber and Alexandra Bond, sourcing rare items from around the world. A favourite piece is the BTC 'Titan' pendant light (below). dunlinhome.com



CUTTING EDGE Nexus Designs has embraced the industrial bones of an inner-city Melbourne warehouse, making a dramatic environment to showcase Boyac's exquisite collection of textiles and wallpaper such as Le Labo's metal designs (below). boyac.com.au



Selling points

Excellent excuses to open the wallet.



LIGHTEN UP New Zealand designer David Trubridge has opened a new studio in the Hawkes Bay village of Whakatu. The elegant space is the first showroom dedicated to his much-loved lighting and timber furniture. davidtrubridge.com



HALLOWED GROUND The grandeur of Halo's new flagship showroom (above) in the Chinese city of Gaoming, mirrors the brand's impeccable craftsmanship. Though opulent in scale, Halo's pieces are softened with provincial detailing. Available in Australia from Coco Republic. haloasia.com/enu/

KELLY COUNTRY

Kelly Wearstler's burgeoning empire has gone online. Cyber-shoppers can indulge in her fashion, accessories and homewares, such as the brass legs sculpture (left). kellywearstler.com



FASHION HOUSE Saba's spacious new Melbourne concept store has imbued a heritage building with a fresh, contemporary ambience. The use of natural surfaces by design firm Hecker Guthrie lends the interior a timeless quality, while also reflecting the urban DNA of the brand. saba.com.au

OPENING CREDITS Two new boutiques are igniting Melbourne's design scene. Acclaimed textile designer Rae Ganim's concept store (left), features an artful assortment (ganimstore.com.au), while Lucy Folk's food-inspired jewellery has an equally exciting new home (lucyfolk.com)