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Rubens Glustin is a fourth-generation antique dealer with a lighting showroom in the prestigious Biron arcade in Paris's Saint-Ouen flea market. A destination for connoisseurs, the gallery specialises in pieces from the modern era. Galerie Glustin Luminaires, 85 Rue des Rosiers, 93400 Saint-Ouen, France (00 33 6 64 88 02 40; glustin-luminaires.net).



For the ultimate interior-design sale head to Chelsea Harbour, 6 to 11 January, when visitors will find discounts across extensive ranges of contemporary and classic furniture, fabrics and more. The first day is a trade preview, but thereafter everyone is welcome. Design Centre Chelsea Harbour, London SW10 (020 7225 9166; dcch.co.uk).



Interior designer Julian Chichester works with opulent specialist materials, including verre églomisé, faux shagreen and parchment. Seen here is the 'Alfred' cabinet, with a smoked-oak body and drawers of black vellum edged with hand-beaten brass. Julian Chichester, Design Centre Chelsea Harbour, London SW10 (020 7622 2928; julianchichester.com).



The fabled Italian brand Fornasetti has unveiled a new shop within Harrods. Found on the department store's third floor, the space covers 70sq m – and has even inspired a new piece, an addition to the 'Themes and Variations' collection, to celebrate this latest venture. Harrods, 87-135 Brompton Rd, London SW1 (020 7730 1234; harrods.com).



A collaboration between Arte and Moooi, the 'Extinct Animals' wall-coverings celebrate nature's diversity with designs rich in colour and pattern, such as feathers, fur and scales. Seen here is the latest addition to the range, 'Indigo Macaque'. Arte, Design Centre Chelsea Harbour, London SW10 (0800 500 3355; arte-international.com) ■