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What's in the air this month, edited by Nathalie Wilson



1 'Gorgeous light fittings and accessories are the lifeblood of our business,' says Lee Lovett, of Soho Lighting. For proof, look no further than the company's 'Schoolhouse' collection, which is based on early 20th-century designs and made with the original moulds and castings. Shown from top: 'Warwick' strip light (£960) and 'Glasshouse' pendant (£420). Ring 020 3314 1433, or visit soholighting.com.

2 Little Greene and the National Trust have renewed their acquaintance, with seven wallpapers that span 200-plus years of interior-decoration history. 'Clutterbuck' (shown) is named after an owner of the Tudor hunting lodge Newark Park, where a fragment of the c1805 paper survives. Available in five colourways, it costs £85 per 10m roll. Ring 020 7935 8844, or visit littlegreene.com.

3 With the introduction of its first passementerie range, designed by Kit Kemp, Christopher Farr Cloth has all the necessary trimmings for chic soft furnishings. Shown: 'Pop Art' border and 'Ombre' fringe, which are both £90 per m and come in a variety of colours. Ring 020 7349 0888, or visit christopherfarrcloth.com.

4 There's shabby chic and then there's shabby. All upholstered furniture will end up in the latter state eventually, but when it's as well made and timeless as Ensemblier's the occasional re-covering will revive it. If that's not the antithesis of the throw-away society... Shown: Moorish 'Livia' headboard (from £2,235 for a single). Ring 07841 261220, or visit ensemblielondon.com.

5 This is not your common-or-garden-centre variety of planter. It's a copper vessel that Vita Sackville-West repurposed as a plant pot at Sissinghurst. Architectural Heritage has now created a replica measuring 94cm in diameter, which is yours for £2,880. Ring 01386 584414, or visit architectural-heritage.co.uk.

