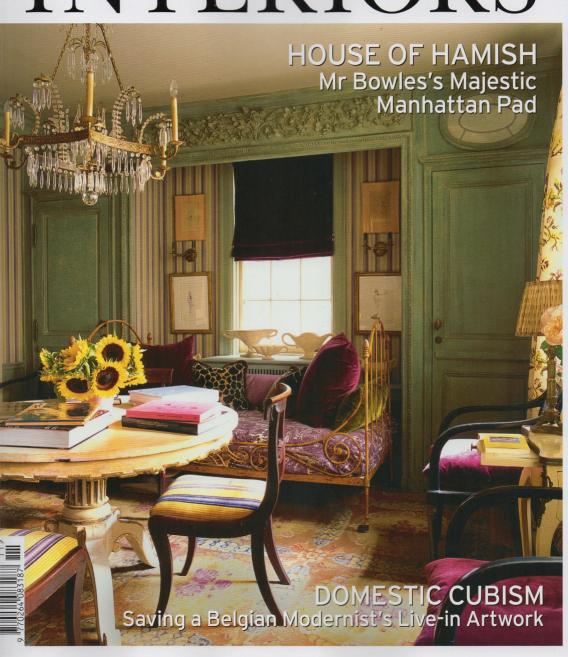
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1 The spotlight is on Urban Electric this autumn. The American creator of top-notch lights is presenting its first collections created in collaboration with designers who don't come from its usual stomping grounds. Instead, the company has shipped in London-based Martin Brudnizki, Taylor Howes and Oro Bianco. Shown, from left, is the latter's 'Brompton' in heirloom-finish brass and smoke glass (\$5,998), and 'Pelham' in Renaissance gilt-finish brass with bronze accents (\$4,320), Ring 001 843 723 8140, or visit urbanelectricco.com.

2 The most recent embodiment of Eley Kishimoto's manifesto to 'Print the World' is a collection of 12 wallpapers featuring reworked archive designs that are hand-printed to order in the design duo's Brixton studio; £160 per 10m roll. Ring 020 8674 7411, or visit eleykishimoto.com.

> 3 To 'introduce crystal design that is relevant, desirable and useful to the modern consumer' is new company I. Hill's Standard's intention. How will

this be done? By offering wares that are mouthblown and hand-cut by master craftsmen in the Czech Republic and Ireland respectively, and designed by internationally renowned designers such as Scholten & Baijings, whose 'Elements' are shown top and left (from £131), and Martino Gamper, whose 'Cuttings' is shown right (from £98). Ring 00 353 87 65 04 565, or visit jhillsstandard.com.

4 Present and Correct's super-stylish 'Classic Brass' paperclips are based on examples from 1897, 1902, 1904 and 1908 - clearly these were vintage years; £6.50 for a box of ten. Ring 020 7278 2460, or visit presentandcorrect.com.

5 There's more to architect-designers Benjamin Luddy and Makoto Mizutani's 91cmlong powder-coated steel table (\$250) than an attractive design on which to enjoy some elevenses. As well as being foldable, its legs detach so it can be hung on the wall and used as a magnetic noticeboard or a dry-erase board. Ring Kaufmann-Mercantile on 001 844 716 8511, or visit kaufmann-mercantile.com.