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# shopping columnist

Interior designer Minnie Kemp on the pieces catching her eye this month



#### 1. IN THE ROUND

This is a timeless piece made from oak burl that has a wonderfully handy storage space in the centre, meaning it could double up as a secret mini bar as well. Ary **coffee table**, price on request, Emmanuelle Simon

### 2. BRANCHING OUT The whimsical creatures sitting on branches

are all moulded in clay before being cast in bronze. I know I'd end up hanging my necklaces off the stems to give the piece a personalised touch. Midwinter table lamp, £5,460, Laura Carlin at The New Craftsmen

# These candles, handcrafted in Mexico, have

3. CENTREPIECE

a wide base so they can stand alone, giving a contemporary finish. Paleta candles, £38 for two, NILE at The Conran Shop

#### 4. SEEING GREEN Malachite is my colour of the month - it's

deeper, more intense, sexier than our old friend olive - and paired with ruby red or burnt orange, nothing can be chicer. Marnie armchair, from £3,300, Maker&Son

# 5. BODY OF WORK

British artist Rebecca Sammon's art is bold and dramatic, often abstract and surreal. Her pieces have an ethereal feel and are strong enough to work as stand-alone pieces. *The Wheel*, £600, Rebecca Sammon

## 6. TRIP ADVISOR

I discovered this unique brand, Injiri, at the wonderful TulsiShop nestled in the 'heel' of Italy. It's one of those rare few magic places you cannot leave empty-handed. This handwoven bedding is worth the trip to Italy alone. Ahir **bedding**, price on request, Injiri



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