

HEART OF GLASS

Eye-catching stuff: a 16 arm black 'Marie Therese' chandelier with vintage coloured glassdrops from Vintage Wonderland Chandeliers. £2,500, 07775 520382; vintagewonderlandchandeliers.com



FABIEN CAPPELLO HAS USED FOSSIL LIMESTONE FLOORING SALVAGED FROM HEATHROW'S TERMINAL 2 FOR THESE TABLES AVAILABLE AT RETROUVIUS. £116.62 per sq/m, 020 8960 6060; retrouvius.com



MIRROR, MIRROR

Antiques by Design converts restored iron and wooden windows, such as this old French one, into mirrors. They also turn sporting and musical memorabilia into unusual lamps. £695, 01245 222771; antiquesbydesign.co.uk

Labour
OF LOVE

Fabulous revamped antiques by *Nicolette Le Pelley* and *Cheryl Knorr* of thehousedirectory.com



OFF THE SCRAP HEAP

At Trouver Antiques, old thread bobbins take on a new lease of life as standard lamps, £195, and table lamps, £125. 079738 85671; trouverantiques.co.uk

TWINNED TEXTILES

Kirsten Hecktermann's cushions are a happy marriage of modern and antique textiles. Here, she's used a 1960s block print on hand-dyed velvet with hand-embroidered French knots. £75 each, 07887 680672; kirstenhecktermann.com



SITTING PRETTY

This lively vintage armchair from Squint is upholstered in assorted silks, velvets and woven tickings. They also make to order, using new furniture frames in traditional and contemporary styles. £2800, 020 7739 9275; squintlimited.com



FEET FIRST

A new, contemporary look for a vintage footstool. 'Humphrey' is covered in cable knit panels with multicoloured buttons. £300, 07770 941305; melanieporter.com



If you feel like 'reinventing' or 'recrafting' antiques or reclaimed materials yourself, Barty Phillips' new book 'How to make the best use of salvage' will give you inspiration and plenty of sources. £16.99 from www.pen-and-sword.co.uk, 01226-734555

