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Fine fabrics: Part of the Venezia 2015 collection, Mirafiore, the fabric seen on the sofa above, is by Venetian firm Rubelli, whose work can be found in La Scala in Milan, the Bolshoi Theatre in Moscow and the Palazzo Ducale in Venice. Mirafiore comes in two colour schemes: Smeraldo, seen above, and Rosso. £175 per metre. rubelli.com

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Heritage for sale

You may think of them as a symbol of London history, as old as Big Ben itself, but the railings and cast iron parapet on Westminster Bridge were replaced in 1997 and the 19th-century originals can now be yours for £306,000. lassco.co.uk

A MODERN MARBLE

The Round Refectory Table by Lapidica is handmade in Yorkshire, with a solid English oak base and an Arabescato marble top. The model shown is 5cm thick with a 150cm diameter and costs £5,495. www.lapidica.com



Walnut crackers

This pair of early 18th-century walnut high back cabriole leg side chairs, each with original carving on the front knees, was created in England in 1710. They are available from Lapada accredited dealer, Lennox Cato for £12,500. lapada.org

HIT THE SLOPES

These limited-edition skis are one of 250 pairs. Made exclusively in Switzerland for Bentley, they use an ultra-lightweight cedar-wood core and durable stainless steel edges. £6,498, with leather ski bag, carbon poles, bindings and two years' free servicing. zai.ch



Wall of water

Wet System wallpaper from Wall & Decò combines damp-proof materials with high-end print designs. Mystical Dreams, pictured above, is by printmaker María Gómez García and is available for £93.92 per sq m. wallandeco.com



Frame works

Marilyn - Invitation, 1981 – an original screenprint signed by Andy Warhol himself – is on sale for £26,750 at the Mayfair Antiques & Fine Art Fair, in association with Wetherell. The fair runs from 7-10 January, at the London Marriott Hotel, in Grosvenor Square. mayfairfair.com



Keep a secret

Hide away your January cravings in the finest British carpentry. Bespoke kitchens by the furniture maker David Linley (as seen on this month's cover), who is also the Queen's nephew, can be fitted with discrete hidden drawers. They are inspired by the secret drawer in Linley's grandmother's bureau that sparked his interest in woodwork. POA. davidlinley.com