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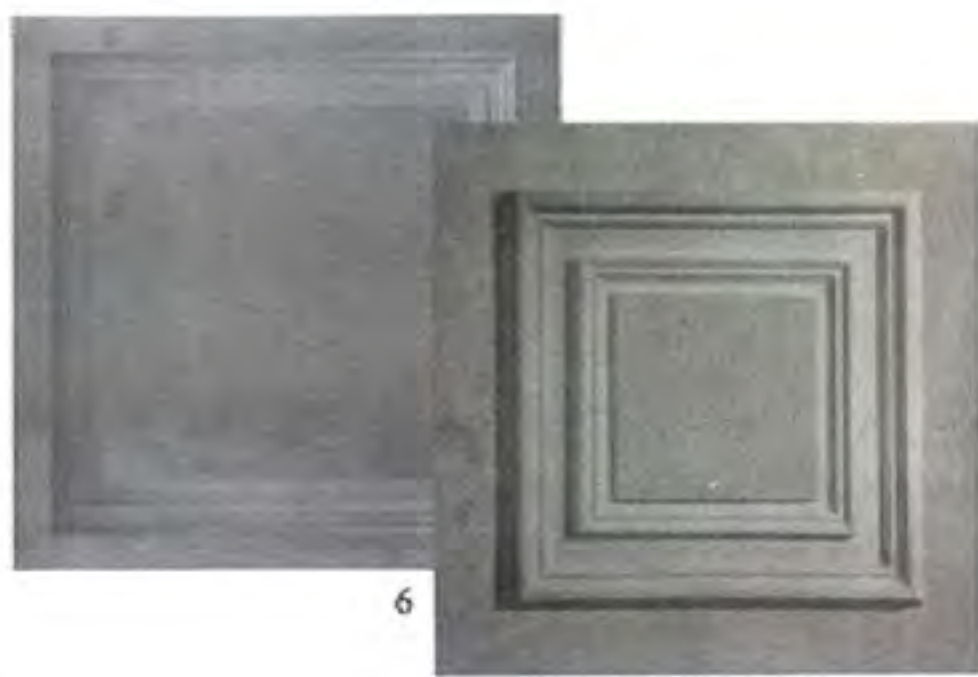
THE WORLD OF INTERIORS

**TECHNICOLOR DREAM BOAT:
A Ship-Shape Caravan Weighs Anchor**



WILL SELF: Unmaking the Past in Hastings
GORDON WATSON: Love and Hate in Tangier





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6 The design potential of these panels is not set in concrete, even though they may be cast from that composite material. They can be hung to emulate traditional panelling; otherwise a patchwork of different sizes creates a contemporary look. You can either fix them to a wall or, with the aid of a support system, employ them in a freestanding partition (£800 approx per sq m). Ring Feix & Merlin Architects on 07956 550799, or visit feixandmerlin.com.



7 The time-consuming age-old Kalamkari process – organic cotton being repeatedly beaten, washed and dried in the sun; handblock-printed with natural dyes that are fixed by steaming over a rice chaff fire; then naturally brightened, washed and dried again – is what makes ‘Hailey’ (shown in indigo, £42 per m), and indeed all Les Indiennes fabrics, so divine. That, and founder Mary Bergtold Mulcahy’s eye for pattern. Ring 001 518 828 2811, or visit lesindiennes.com.



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8 Born in the USA: Kaufmann Mercantile, the brainchild of Brooklyn-based Sebastian Kaufmann, was conceived in a bid ‘to change our disposable lifestyle’. The online store offers functional, durable and attractive goods at reasonable prices, like this waterproof lunch bag (£35.34) available in four shades of waxed canvas, with oil-tanned-leather straps. Ring 001 347 529 5122, or visit kaufmann-mercantile.com.



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9 Trainspotters has been busy, but not watching out for locomotives. Rather, it’s been re-making classic prismatic bulkheads (£174) and village-hall chairs – only with a higher seat so that they can be used with dining tables (£144 each; also available in black). Ring 01453 756677, or visit trainspotters.co.uk.



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10 This 1.35m-long ‘Booleans’ sideboard (£5,544 approx), designed by Mexican Joel Escalona for the limited-edition brand Roche Bobois Gallery, is formed from offset cubes. The geometry is accentuated by subtle changes in the colour of the oak veneer. Ring 020 7751 4030, or visit roche-bobois.com. ▷



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