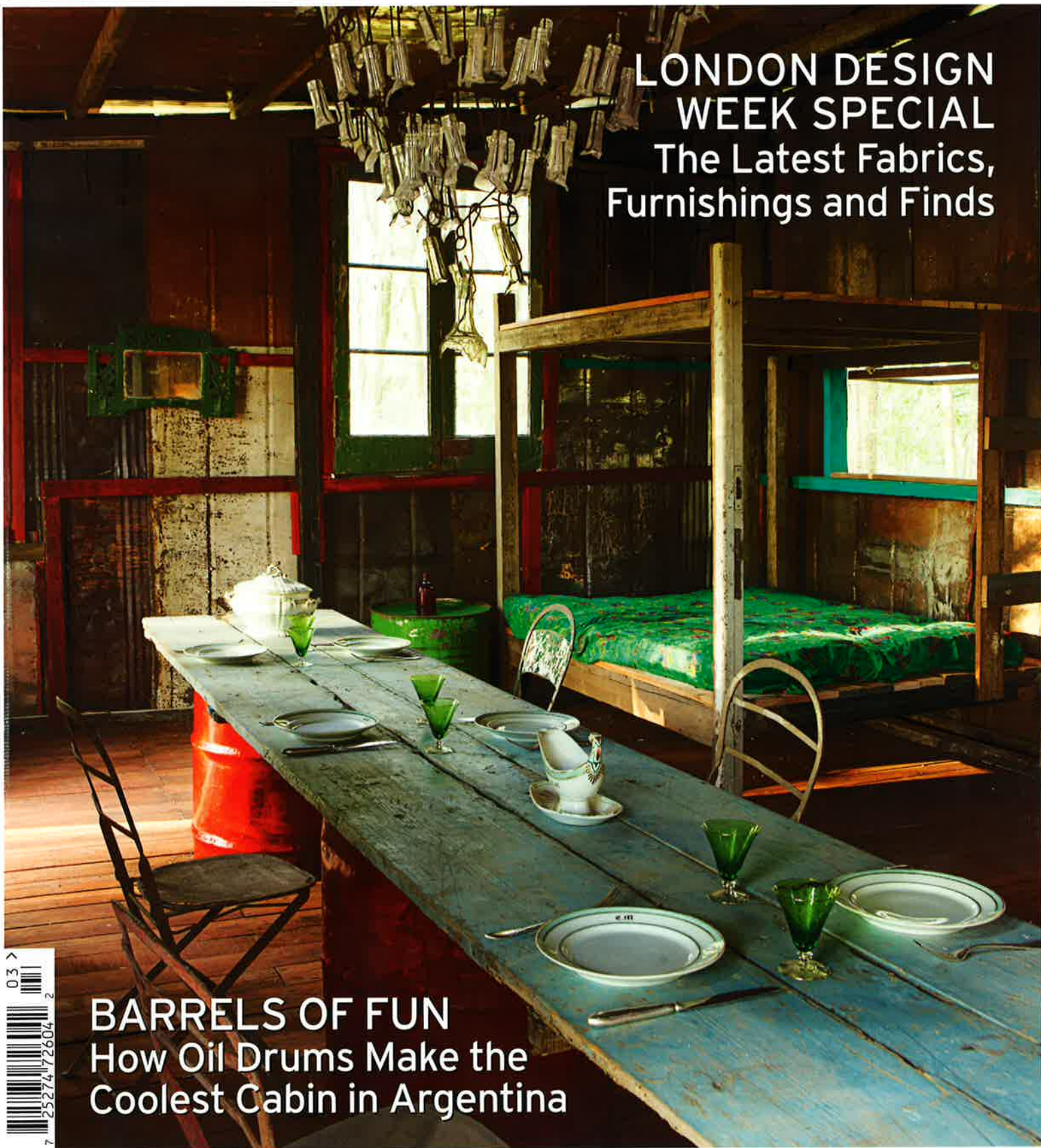


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1 While most of us are happy to drink the contents of wine barrels, others would rather turn them into sculptures. These spheres, made from the metal rings that run round the outside of wooden wine casks, can be anything from two metres across – \$100 from Wine Country Craftsman – as seen in the *tabaccaia* (page 144), to a more manageable half metre. Ring 001 805 835 1170, or visit [winecountrycraftsman.com](http://winecountrycraftsman.com).

2 Pick any lamp or table in the *tabaccaia*, and chances are it was made in the estate workshop, to the owner's design. Reschio, the design arm of the operation, produces these pieces to order; but try Flamant if you're drawn to the tables that seem to guard the space (page 148). They cost £1,695 approx each, are suitable for indoors or out, and the stone will develop a beautiful patina over time. Ring 020 7221 5567, or visit [flamant.com](http://flamant.com).



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3 If you're anything like us, you'll go gaga for the sketchbook of Dada collagist Hannah Höch (page 100), which is believed to be from 1933 and is reproduced in its entirety for £45. With text in German, English and French, it contains 114 pages of flora and fauna cut-outs so fantastic you'll be tempted to chop it up and create collages of your own. Ring 020 7628 4829, or visit [hatjecantz.de](http://hatjecantz.de).

4 Restorer Myriam Chataignère enjoys her meals in the company of a plaster leopard (page 88). If this seems like a frightening prospect, Atelier Mériquet-Carrère can fashion you a similar sculpted panel with a less carnivorous companion, such as the roe deer seen here, which was designed by interior decorator Brian J. McCarthy. This panel measures 2.2 × 2m, and costs £41,348 approx. Ring 00 33 1 56 56 79 15, or visit [ateliermeriquet.fr](http://ateliermeriquet.fr).



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5 Original BTC's curvaceous table lamp might be part of the 'London' collection, but it's a dead ringer for the one that lights up this Paris apartment (page 87). It will cost you £399, but how much is that in euros? *Nous ne savons pas*. Ring 020 7351 2130, or visit [originalbtc.com](http://originalbtc.com) ■