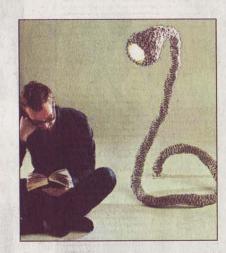
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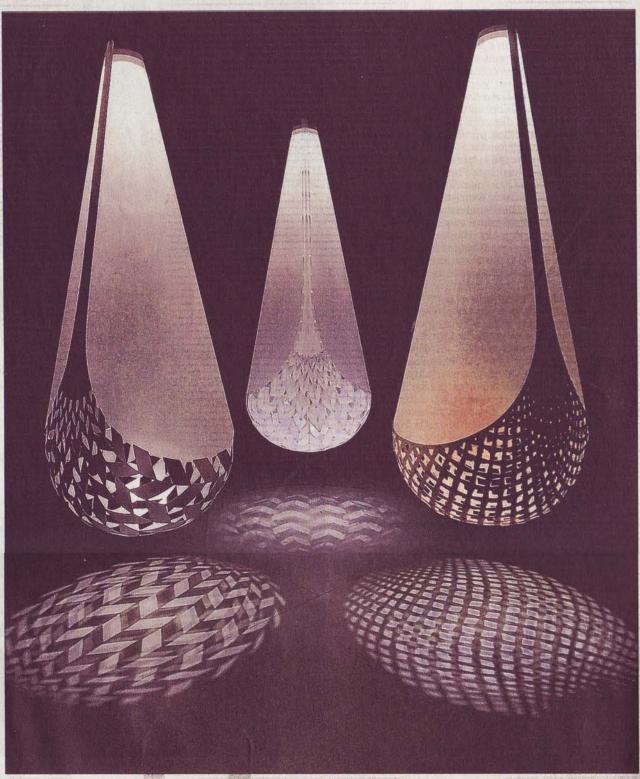






symmetry: Clockwise from top left, Green's chairs, with plastic pieces that give the basic model a French or Asian flair; Feeler lamp by Pudelskern; David Turbridge lighting that looks like water droplets suspended in baskets made from aluminum, sanded plastic and bamboo plywood; Bricks and Mortar chair by Established & Son's Sebastian Wrong and artist Richard Woods; quilted armchair and shelving by Normann of Copenhagen.





Photos, clockwise from top left, by Green; MARKUS BSTIELER Pudelskern; FRANCO FORCI For The Times; Established & Sons; FRANCO FORCI For The Times

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