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COVER STORY

Tucked amid the refined array of furniture and decor offerings at the LAURA LEE CLARK showroom stands a new 1,000-square-foot fabric gallery that includes two up-and-coming Dallas textile designers MEGAN ADAMS and ANN JACKSON. A recent partnership with STOUTTEXTILES designates half of Clark's expanded textile gallery to the affordable-but-refined brand's upholstery, drapery, leathers, trims, and outdoor fabrics. The other half celebrates the creative tendencies of several female entrepreneurs led by Adams, a painter whose vibrant fabric collection will grow this fall to include an extensive line of linens. Jackson, a fine artist and former art teacher who launched her new brand's fabric-mimicking wallpapers in January, has already added more patterns to the original set of eight. Clark also showcases the talents of Austin-based BUNGLO BY SHAY SPANIOLA and contemporary abstract expressionist LINDSAY COWLES of Virginia. Also new to the mix is KBTEXTILES, the textile extension of KB Bespoke, the furniture line by Los Angeles designer Kristen Buckingham. 1515 Slocum St. 214-265-7272. lauraleeclark.com - Elaine Rogers



VENUS MIRROR



A NATURAL FIT Dallas served as the logical next frontier for **MADE GOODS**, a Californiabased wholesale furniture brand known for designs centered around unique materials. The newly opened 5,000-square-foot showroom in the Design Center is the third and largest to date and the first to encompass their two sister companies: Pigeon & Poodle (fine home accessories) and Blue Pheasant (mix-and-match tableware).

Made Goods kept retail shoppers' comfort in mind, relying on the company's extensive experience providing pieces for hotels—including the St. Regis Residence Club in Aspen and the New York Palace. A trail-mix bar with water and coffee is a prime place for designers to grab a quick snack and pick up some inspiration, too, while they're at it—surrounded by styled examples of the brand's creative pieces. *1025 N. Stemmons Fwy. madegoods.com* —*E.R.*