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C&S NURSERY

At C&S Nursery located at the base of Baldwin Hills, Soloff gravitates toward wilder, less-tamed selections, stepping away from colorful flowering plants and instead looking at crawling ivy leaves, among others. "I'm craving to learn more about landscape design," she says. 3615 Hauser Blvd., L.A., 323-296-6657; csnursery.com.



From left: Soloff stops to smell the rosemary, inspecting an evergreen perennial. A truckload of green goods.



PORTOLA PAINTS & GLAZES

"I like that they're local, and the enthusiasm they have for color and paint. They'll really work with you," Soloff says of Portola Paints & Glazes, founded by brothers Casey and Jamie Davis. Her choice colors lately include White Cliffs, Newton's Indigo, In the Navy and Dust Ruffle. 8213 W. Third St., L.A., 323-655-2211; portolapaints.com.

From above: PORTOLA PAINTS' Dust Ruffle. In the Navy.



NICKY RISING LTD

"I'm doing a job that's a little bit of a departure from my more earth-toned work," Soloff explains, so Nicky Rising LTD next to the Pacific Design Center has been an important find. The Melrose Avenue showroom "has allowed me to explore pattern, color and texture," including de Gournay wallpapers. Thanks to owner Rising's sensibility, everything in the space is "passed through an amazing filter." 8625 Melrose Ave., W.H., 310-289-1385; nickyrising.com.



The textile-happy environs of NICKY RISING are ideal for perusing whimsical swatches from the likes of DE GOURNAY and UTOPIA GOODS (below).

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