

NEW AND NOTEWORTHY

◆ **The Gallery of Wearable Art** (p. 62) celebrates its 20th anniversary with the birth of a new fragrance, created by owner/designer Bronni Kupris. Like the shop's one-of-a-kind fashions, each bottle of the fragrance is unique. Kupris has hand-selected beautiful antique perfume bottles, contemporary art glass and limited-edition bottles in which to package her Wearable Art scent.

◆ Further blurring the line between art and commerce, a new store/gallery, **Work In Progress** (p. 63), offers a mix of exclusive European and American designer fashions on its main floor, while local New York artists create and display their work on the lower level.

◆ Shops and spas dedicated to the beautification of humanity have opened like flowers in the sun despite the air's autumnal chill. Among the new blooms: **Shoba Madison** (p. 64), an uptown branch of the SoHo salon specializing in natural hair removal based on Ayurvedic beauty philosophies; **Pharma** (p. 64), a sweet-smelling emporium of all-natural skincare products; and **Dashing Diva Style Lab** (p. 63), a nail spa devoted to the glorification of the feminine hand.