

LUXURY WITHOUT COMPROMISE

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Spring Fashion

FROM LOWER MANHATTAN
TO GREATER TOKYO,
FRESH STYLES UNFOLD

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WHAT THE EDITORS ARE OBSESSING ABOUT THIS MONTH.



DEEPWATER DISCOVERY

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HERMÈS VOLYNKA LEATHER COLLECTION



“After 200 years tucked away in the cargo hull of the sunken *Metta Catharina*, a cache of exceptional Russian-tanned leather was recovered and restored in the 1970s. The leather experts at Hermès later purchased

a parcel of the hides, and artisans there experimented with the skins for 5 years to precisely re-create the original Russian tanning style—the product of which was coveted by 18th-century aristocrats and royalty, who used it to cover their carriages and travel cases. At long last, the Volynka leather will be unveiled this month in three limited-edition bags (\$12,400 to \$20,100). The lustrous leather is virtually indestructible and water-resistant—a fact proven over a 200-year test.” —JILL NEWMAN