Ruby Redfort - Pick Your Poison

"Ruby pulled the block of wood from the doorjamb and took notebook 625 from its hiding place."

"Piles of magazines and journals on all subjects fanned out across the rugs, and on top of these were pens, papers and telephones."

"The only place in any way orderly in her room was the bed."

"She stepped onto the eucalyptus branch that extended towards the house."

"The huge bookshelf that extended from wall to wall, floor to ceiling."

"On the floor was a trail of clothes that led to or spread from her walk-in wardrobe."