

case study: moving day¹

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EXCERPT 1 (FROM ABSTRACT)

...back to main street at 49th avenue.
particular aspects of the neighbourhood and
its inhabitants will be observed. furthermore,
the following assertion will be tested:
moving is about...

EXCERPT 2 (FROM RESULTS)

the wine box is ideal for packing
books. strong and compact, it does
not get too heavy or break. caveat: many
foot-trips required. especially difficult
when the destination apartment is up two
flights of stairs “so steep a climbing-wall
yuppie could rappel down them” (subject a).
sociological note: few of these reside
in south vancouver’s core. researchers
project an increase over the next ten years.

EXCERPT 3 (FROM DISCUSSION)

subject a indicates high
propensity to display his biblio-
philedom. “inate nomadism [sic.]”
(subject’s claim) seems to become
shelved.

EXCERPT 4 (FROM APPENDIX B: FULL TRANSCRIPT)

another fuckin’ ragged ass
bookcase? dump it, paré.
check my library card. here,
feel how light it is

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