CHAPTER V

CONCLUSION

The journalistic language used in headlines of The Jakarta Fost may has its own language. It is due to limitations existing there and to fulfill some functions. The types of its syntactic structures are structures of modification and structures of predication. Moreover, Its syntactic structures are mostly structures of predication. Eventhough structures of modification appear there, it seems that it is only to avoid passive voice. While, structures of complementation and structures of coordination merely appear as part of syntactic structures of the headlines.

Because the mostly type of the headlines' syntactic structures is structure of predication, elements which underlie its syntactic structures are basically built by a subject and a predicate. Moreover, the predicate is commonly in structures of complementation with transitive verbs as its verbal element, or consists of verb and object.

The usual usage of infinitive as verbal element is a special feature which may be found in the language used in The Jakarta Post's headlines. Verbal elements, commonly, disobey about person and are in active voice. And, in structures of coordination comma is commonly to be used as coordinator in joining its elements.

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