CHAPTER V

CONCLUSION AND SUGGESTION

A. Conclusion

After analyzing the lexical metaphor in headlines of The Jakarta Post, the conclusions were drawn as follows:

1. There found four types use in headlines of The Jakarta Post, namely Noun-Noun (38.46%), Noun-Verb (38.46%), Noun-Adjective (20.51%) and Comparing Two Social Concepts (2.56%) while Sound Concept did not found there.

2. The dominant types use are noun-noun and noun-verb with the same percentage (38.46%). The headline maker use noun-noun is to describe those news refers to a person, a place or a thing, a quality or an activity, while noun-verb is tend to express event move or alive and having certain process. There is no sound concept found in headline of *The Jakarta Post* because the headline maker have to avoid misunderstanding by using communicative language. So the readers understand the information appropriately.

B. Suggestion

With reference to the conclusion, the suggestions are:

1. It is suggested that the students or language learners have a good knowledge about lexical metaphor especially in identifying the types of lexical metaphor.

2. It is suggested that other researchers conduct further researchers about the use of lexical metaphor especially to explore other genres excluded in the current study.

3. The findings of this research can be used by the readers for better understanding about lexical metaphor used in headline.