

PRONOUN IN “THE CASE OF THE WRECKED ROOM”

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Abstract : *The researcher focuses the study on Pronoun in “The Case of the Wrecked Room”. Which is existed in English is Fun (book). The research is done through descriptive qualitative, in which the aims of the research are to describe Preposition in “The Case of the Wrecked Room”. Which is existed in English is Fun (book). The analysis is done through kinds of Pronoun; Personal Pronoun, Demonstrative Pronoun, Relative Pronoun, Interrogative Pronoun, Reflexive Pronoun, Indefinite Pronoun, and Reciprocal Pronoun. Additionally, here the researcher tries to determine the dominant use of kinds of Pronoun. Consequently, the researcher takes “The Case of the Wrecked Room” for primary data, and then some related Journals and books about Pronoun. Furthermore, the researcher uses content analysis method for analyzing the data. There the technique of analyzing the data; Reading the short story “The Case of the Wrecked Room”. Signing kinds of Pronoun in “The Case of the Wrecked Room”, and then giving found kinds of Pronoun explanations. Finally, having conclusion of overall discussion. In conclusion, there are 25 Pronouns in “The Case of the Wrecked Room” in English is Fun (book), by: David L. Larcom. There are ten for Personal Pronoun, seven for Demonstrative Pronoun, two for Relative Pronoun, one for Interrogative Pronoun, zero for Reflexive Pronoun, four for Indefinite Pronoun, and one for Reciprocal Pronoun.*

Keywords: *Wreck, Pronoun, Dominant*

Abstract : Peneliti memfokuskan penelitiannya pada kelas kata Pronomina yang terdapat dalam “The Case of the Wrecked Room”. Pada buku English is Fun. Penelitian ini dilaksanakan dengan menggunakan metode descriptive qualitative, dan bertujuan untuk menemukan kelas kata Pronomina yang berjenis Personal Pronoun, Demonstrative Pronoun, Relative Pronoun, Interrogative Pronoun, Reflexive Pronoun, Indefinite Pronoun, and Reciprocal Pronoun. Kemudian memberi gambaran atau penjelasan atas temuan tersebut. Selanjutnya, Peneliti menentukan penggunaan jenis kelas kata Pronomina yang lebih dominan dan yang paling sedikit penggunaannya pada “The Case of the Wrecked Room”. Pada buku English is Fun. Penelitian ini menggunakan “The Case of the Wrecked Room”, pada buku English is Fun sebagai data primer, dan data dianalisa dengan menggunakan metode content analysis. Data penelitian dianalisa dengan cara; Membaca “The Case of the Wrecked Room”, yang terdapat pada buku English is Fun, yang di tulis oleh David L. Larcom. Menemukan dan menandai kelas kata Pronomina yang berjenis Personal Pronoun, Demonstrative Pronoun, Relative Pronoun, Interrogative Pronoun, Reflexive Pronoun, Indefinite Pronoun, and Reciprocal Pronoun, kemudian memberi gambaran atau penjelasan pada hasil temuan tersebut. Akhirnya, Peneliti menyimpulkan proses dan hasil temuan pada penelitian ini. Sebagai penutup, hasil temuan dari penelitian ini adalah Peneliti menemukan dalam cerita pendek “The Case of the Wrecked Room”, sepuluh Personal Pronoun, tujuh Demonstrative Pronoun, dua Relative Pronoun, satu Interrogative Pronoun, zero Reflexive Pronoun, empat Indefinite Pronoun, dan satu Reciprocal Pronoun

Keywords: Rongsokan, Pronomina, Dominan.

I. INTRODUCTION

Grammar is study or science of rules for the combination of words into sentences, and the forms of words. (A.V. Martinet, A.J. Thomson, 1986, p. 65). In other words, it is a study about sub system of language organization in which meaningful units of language are gathered for larger unit formulations. Precisely, it is divided into Morphology and Syntaxes, and more over it does not belong to Phonology, Semantics and lexicon. (Kridalaksana, 2001, p. 66).

Grammar is a part of compulsory study in English mastery. Whole English learners should study and master grammar as best as learners can. English learners might get grammar study from guided (school) or none guided (self-study through grammar books). Learners use grammar mastery for own-goodness in English practice orally or written expression.

English practice without well grammar mastery is a joke and seems like a useless English practice. Additionally, the goals of English practice orally or written expression is not reachable, and it might give misunderstanding and misinterpretation in English practice. However, the researcher realizes that grammar use is mostly practiced in written expression of English practice rather than oral expression of English practice.

There are many lessons in grammar study. Thus, English learners strongly suggested starting studying English through grammar since learners in kindergarten level of study up to university level. Learners might best start from mustering Parts of Speech and then 16 Tenses of English and so on.

In traditional grammar, a part of speech is a category of words or lexical items which have similar grammatical properties. Moreover, it is words that are assigned to the same part of speech generally display similar

behavior in terms of syntax-they play similar roles within the grammatical structure of sentences-and sometimes in terms of morphology, in that they undergo inflection for similar properties.

Then, there are commonly listed English parts of speech are: Noun, Verb, Adjective Adverb, Pronoun, Preposition, conjunction, interjection, and sometimes numeral, article or determiner.

Here, the researcher only focuses the study about one of English parts of speech, and it is Pronoun. Pronoun seems to be a word used in place of noun or noun phrase. (Homby, A.S, A P Cowie, et. al., 1987, p. 670)

In other words that Pronoun is one of many other important elements of language which is necessary to exist in the process of building a good and complete English sentence, paragraph, and even text.

Whereas English is fun (book) is an English book aims to encourage English learners to learn and practice English more in a fun way. Thus, the book discusses about Puzzles, short story and words study for mid to high level students featuring translation puzzles and idioms.

In regard, due to the importance of mastering and practicing English Pronoun in every English language studies, here, the researcher would try to know and find English Pronoun bases on its kinds; Personal Pronoun, Demonstrative Pronoun, Relative Pronoun, Interrogative Pronoun, Reflexive Pronoun, Indefinite Pronoun, and Reciprocal Pronoun in "The Case of the Wrecked Room". Which is existed in English is Fun (book).

In conclusion, the researcher has a strong eagerness to do the research about Pronoun in "The Case of the Wrecked Room". Which is existed in English is Fun (book).

II. RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

The research is done through descriptive qualitative, in which the aims of the research are to describe Pronoun in “The Case of the Wrecked Room”. Which is existed in English is Fun (book). The analysis is done through kinds of Pronoun; Personal Pronoun, Demonstrative Pronoun, Relative Pronoun, Interrogative Pronoun, Reflexive Pronoun, Indefinite Pronoun, and Reciprocal Pronoun

Moreover, here the researcher tries to determine the dominant use of kinds of Pronouns, in “The Case of the Wrecked Room”. Which is existed in English is Fun (book). Consequently, the researcher takes “The Case of the Wrecked Room” for primary data, and then some related Journals and books about Pronoun. Furthermore, the researcher uses content analysis method for analyzing the data.

There the technique of analyzing the data; Reading and comprehending “The Case of the Wrecked Room”. Which is existed in English is Fun (book), signing kinds of Pronouns, and then giving found kinds of Pronouns explanations. Finally, having conclusion of overall discussion.

III. RESULT

There are many lessons in grammar study, such as Parts of Speech and then 16 Tenses of English and so on. In this research, the researcher would try to know and find English Pronoun bases on its kinds; Personal Pronoun, Demonstrative Pronoun, Relative Pronoun, Interrogative Pronoun, Reflexive Pronoun, Indefinite Pronoun, and Reciprocal Pronoun in “The Case of the Wrecked Room”. Which is existed in English is Fun (book).

There they are Kinds of Pronoun in “The Case of the Wrecked Room”. Which is existed in English is Fun (book), by: David L. Larcom:

Table I. Pronouns in “The Case of the Wrecked Room”:

No	Pronouns						
	Personal	Demonst.	Relative	Inter.	Ref.	Indef.	Recip.
1.	His	There	Which	Who		It	As well
2.	Him	There	Where			It	
3.	I	Here				It	
4.	I	This				It	
5.	His	So					
6.	I	There					
7.	I	There					
8.	I						
9.	I						
10	They						

Note:

1. Demonst. (Demonstrative)
2. Inter. (Interrogative)
3. Ref. (Reflexive)
4. Indef. (Indefinite)
5. Recip. (Reciprocal)

Looking at the above table, that seems like there are seven kinds of English Pronoun; Personal Pronoun, Demonstrative Pronoun, Relative Pronoun, Interrogative Pronoun, Reflexive Pronoun, Indefinite Pronoun, and Reciprocal Pronoun.

In “The Case of the Wrecked Room”, there are ten Personal Pronouns; his, him, I, I, his, I,I,I,I, and They. There are seven Demonstrative Pronoun; there, there, here, this, so, there, there. There are two Relative Pronouns; which and where. There is one Interrogative Pronoun; who. There is no Reflexive Pronoun. There are four Indefinite Pronouns; It, It, It, and It. The last, there is only one Reciprocal Pronoun; as well.

In conclusion, the most dominant use of Pronoun in “The Case of the Wrecked Room”. Which is existed in English is Fun (book) is Personal Pronoun and the least or zero use one is Reflexive Pronoun.

Table II. Pronouns in the sentences of “The Case of the Wrecked Room”:

No	Kinds of Pronoun	Word	Phrase/ Sentence	Meaning
1	Personal	1. His 2. Him 3. I 4. I 5. His 6. I 7. I 8. I 9. I 10. They	1. In his chest. 2. ... until the thief murdered him . 3. I did. 4. I 'm 5. had just entered his office 6. ... when I heard ... 7. ... I came in, ... 8. Just as I thought, ... 9. I 'm afraid not! 10. They fought ...	1. Di dadanya. 2. ...hingga pencuri itu membunuhnya. 3. Saya yang melakukan. 4. Saya 5. ...baru saja memasuki kantornya... 6. ...ketika saya mendengar... 7. ... Saya masuk ke dalam... 8. Tepat seperti yang Saya pikirkan... 9. Saya tidak takut!... 10. Mereka berkelahi...
2	Demonstrative	1. There 2. There 3. Here 4. This 5. So 6. There 7. There 8. There 9. This	1. There was a wall safe ... 2. ... there was a burglar in 3. ... in here when ... 4. ... when this unfortunate ... 5. So it would seem ... 6. ... There was a fight going... 7. ...going on in there . 8. Mr. Hard was lying there dead. 9. This lady is the killer.	1. Disana terdapat berangkas... 2. ... ada maling di... 3. Di dalam sini ketika... 4. ... ketika ketidak beruntungan ini ... 5. Ini juga terlihat... 6. ... ada

				perkelahian... 7. ...sedang terjadi di sana . 8. Tuan Hard terbaring mati disana . 9. Wanita ini adalah pembunuh.
3	Relative	1. Which 2. Where	1. ...a wall safe which was open... 2. ...where several people	1. Sebuah berangkas yang terbuka... 2. ...orang-orang yang ...
4	Interrogative	1. Who	Who found the body?...	1. Siapa yang menemukan mayat itu?
5	Reflexive			
6	Indefinite	1. It 2. It 3. It 4. It	1. It was a young handsome man... 2. It would seem,... 3. So it would seem,... 4. It was over and...	1. la adalah seorang pemuda yang... 2. Juga terlihat bahwa... 3. Juga kelihatannya bahwa... 4. Semuanya berakhir...
7	Reciprocal	As well	1. The office window was open as well.	1. Jendela kantor juga terbuka.

There they are Pronouns in the sentences of "The Case of the Wrecked Room": Personal; 1. in **his** chest... 2. ... until the thief murdered **him**. 3. **I** did. 4. **I**'m 5. ...had just entered **his** office 6. ... when **I** heard ... 7. ... **I** came in, ... 8. ...Just as **I** thought, ... 9. I'm afraid not! 10. **They** fought ...

Table III. Result of Pronouns in “The Case of the Wrecked Room”:

No	Pronouns	Result
1	Personal	10
2	Demonstrative	7
3	Relative	2
4	Interrogative	1
5	Reflexive	
6	Indefinite	4
7	Reciprocal	1
Total		25

Looking at above table III., that seems like there are 25 Pronouns in “The Case of the Wrecked Room”: There are ten for Personal Pronoun, seven for Demonstrative Pronoun, two for Relative Pronoun, one for Interrogative Pronoun, zero for Reflexive Pronoun, four for Indefinite Pronoun, and one for Reciprocal Pronoun.

IV. DISCUSSION

Pronoun seems to be a word used in place of noun or noun phrase. In other words that Pronoun is one of many other important elements of language which is necessary to exist in the process of building a good and complete English sentence, paragraph, and even text.

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Then, Short Story is a piece of prose fiction that typically can be read in one sitting and focuses on a self-contained incident or series of linked incidents, with the intent of evoking a “single effect” or mood.

There it is

“The Case of the Wrecked Room”.

Inspector Wright and Lieutenant slow entered the scene of a recent homicide. The body of the victim was lying on the floor with a knife in his chest. It was a young handsome man with neatly combed hair and an expensive suit.

There was a wall safe which was open and empty. The office window was open as well. The room was a mess with broken lamps, toppled furniture and scattered papers and books. The victim's clothes were ruffled and torn.

"It would seem," said slow, "there was a burglar in here when this unfortunate fellow entered. They fought until the thief murdered him."

"So it would seem," responded Wright while looking to the door where several people were watching from the next room.

"Who found the body?" asked Wright.

"I did." replied a small old lady, "I'm Ah, ... was Mr. Hard's secretary. Mr. Hard had just entered his office when I heard a crash and bang, like there was a fight going on in there. By the time I came in, it was over and Mr. Hard was lying there dead."

"Just as I thought," said slow, "A burglar killed Mr. Hard."

"I'm afraid not!" said Wright, "This lady is the killer!"

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CONCLUSION

Here, the researcher would like to conclude that:

1. Grammar is study or science of rules for the combination of words into sentences, and the forms of words.
2. Pronoun seems to be a word used in place of noun or noun phrase. In other words that Pronoun is one of many other important elements of language which is necessary to exist in the process of building a good and complete English sentence, paragraph, and even text.
3. English is fun (book), by: David L. Larcom is an English book aims to encourage English learners to learn and practice English more in a fun way. Thus, the book discusses about Puzzles, short story and words study for mid to high level students featuring translation puzzles and idioms, by:
4. Short Story is a piece of prose fiction that typically can be read in one sitting and focuses on a self-contained incident or series of linked incidents, with the intent of evoking a “single effect” or mood.
5. There are seven kinds of English Pronoun; Personal Pronoun, Demonstrative Pronoun, Relative Pronoun, Interrogative Pronoun, Reflexive Pronoun, Indefinite Pronoun, and Reciprocal Pronoun.
6. In “The Case of the Wrecked Room”, there are ten Personal Pronouns; his, him, I, I, his, I,I,I,I, and They. There are seven Demonstrative Pronoun; there, there, here, this, so, there, there. There are two Relative Pronouns; which and where. There is one Interrogative Pronoun; who. There is no Reflexive Pronoun. There are four Indefinite Pronouns; It, It, It, and It. The last, there is only one Reciprocal Pronoun; as well.
7. The most dominant use of Pronoun in “The Case of the Wrecked Room”. Which is existed in English is Fun (book) is Personal Pronoun and the least or zero use one is Reflexive Pronoun.
8. There they are Pronouns in the sentences of “The Case of the Wrecked Room”: Personal; 1. in **his** chest... 2. ... until the thief murdered **him**. 3. **I** did. 4. I’m 5. ...had just entered **his** office 6.

... when I heard ... 7. ... I came in, ... 8. ...Just as I thought, ... 9. I'm afraid not! 10. **They** fought ...

9. There are 25 Pronouns in “The Case of the Wrecked Room”: There are ten for Personal Pronoun, seven for Demonstrative Pronoun, two for Relative Pronoun, one for Interrogative Pronoun, zero for Reflexive Pronoun, four for Indefinite Pronoun, and one for Reciprocal Pronoun.

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