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The thesis entitled Phonological Level on *Collected Poem* by Chinua Achebe is a linguistic study that discusses the phonological elements or language tools contained in Chinua Achebe's Collected Poems. The Collected Poems written by Chinua Achebe, is divided into five parts, each of which contains several poems.

In this study, the author limits his research to the Poems About War section which consists of nine poems. The theory used in this study is the theory of Geoffrey Leech. This theory divides language into three levels of language, namely: realization, form, and semantic. The level of realization consists of phonology and graphology. The level of the form consists of grammatical and lexical. And semantics related to meaning. However, in this study, the researcher only focuses on the phonological level. This analysis uses a qualitative approach where this study describes all the data.

The results of this study show that there are phonological features in Collected Poems by Chinua Achebe. At the phonological level, there are rhyme, pararhyme, reveres rhyme, alliteration, assonant, and consonant schemes. From the data, these findings indicate that Chinua Achebe is a modern writer.

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