## CONTENTS

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Acknowledgements</th>
<th>...</th>
<th>1</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Abstract</td>
<td>...</td>
<td>4</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>CHAPTER ONE: OVERVIEW</strong></td>
<td></td>
<td>13</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>CHAPTER TWO: PASSIVES IN HINDI AND THE PASSIVE PARAMETER</strong></td>
<td>...</td>
<td>22</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

### 2.0 Introduction

2.1 The Appearance of the Accusative Case

2.1.1 Case Incorporation

2.1.2 Incorporation: The Notion and its Theoretical Status

2.1.2.1 Incorporation and "Move-∞"

2.1.2.2 The Government Transparency Corollary

2.1.2.3 Incorporation and Morphology

2.1.3 Case Incorporation and the Accusative Case

2.1.4 Class of NPs and Vs and the Application of Case Incorporation

2.1.4.1 Transitive Verbs and [+Definite] NPs

2.1.4.2 Transitive Verbs and [+Specific] NPs

2.1.4.3 Transitive Verbs and [Generic] NPs

2.1.4.4 Transitive Verbs which do not Incorporate Case

2.1.4.5 Abstract NPs and Case Incorporation
<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Section</th>
<th>Page</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>2.3 Passives and the Intransitive Verbs</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2.3.1 The Unaccusative Hypothesis</td>
<td>95</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2.3.2 Intransitive Verbs in Hindi</td>
<td>95</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2.3.3 Unaccusative Verbs and the Movement Analysis</td>
<td>98</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2.3.4 Passives of Intransitives</td>
<td>105</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2.4 Passive in Hindi and English</td>
<td>110</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2.5 The Passive Parameter</td>
<td>112</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2.6 Is the Passive Morpheme just an Argument?</td>
<td>116</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Notes</td>
<td>137</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

CHAPTER THREE: PASSIVE WITHIN THE "GAP" RELATIVE CLAUSE

3.0 Introduction                                                      | 152  |
3.1 The Category of the XP [merii likhii huyii]                        | 153  |
Notes                                                                  | 156  |

CHAPTER FOUR: RAISING TO OBJECT

4.0 Introduction                                                      | 165  |
4.1 Raising in Hindi                                                  | 165  |
4.1.1 Raising Verbs in Hindi                                          | 167  |
4.1.2 Further Facts about Raising                                    | 173  |
4.1.2.1 Nominative vs. Other Cases                                    | 173  |
4.1.2.2 Resumptive Pronoun vs. Empty Position                         | 176  |
4.1.2.3 Animite vs. Inanimate ... 178
4.1.2.4 Raising of a Question Word ... 182
4.1.2.5 Parallelism with Magahi ... 183

4.2 A Raising Analysis and Alternatives ... 185
4.2.1 Arguments for Raising ... 185
4.2.2 Arguments for a Trace in the Embedded Clause ... 189
4.2.3 Raising in Quechua: Lefebvre and Muysken's Proposal ... 191
4.2.4 Analysis of Raising in Hindi ... 195

4.3 Movement Analysis of Raising: Some Problems ... 198
4.3.1 The Landing Site of the Raised NP ... 198
4.3.2 Can a Variable Transmit a Theta-role? ... 199
4.3.3 Is an "A'-to-A" Movement permissible? ... 199
4.3.4 Variables and Resumptive Pronouns ... 200
4.3.5 Extrapolation, V-to-INFL Movement and "Raising" ... 208

4.4 A Small Clause Analysis of "Raising" ... 214
4.4.1 Tensed CP as Predicate of a Small Clause ... 215
4.4.2 Stowell's Analysis of Small Clauses ... 222
4.4.3 Problems of the Small-Clause-Analysis of "Raising" ... 226
4.5 "Raising" in Other Languages .............................................. 228
4.6 A Topic Phrase Analysis of "Raising" .................................. 234
4.7 Binding of the Pronominal ................................................. 240
Notes .................................................................................. 243

CHAPTER FIVE: Raising to Subject ........................................... 246
5.0 Introduction .................................................................... 246
5.1 Analysis .......................................................................... 247
Notes .................................................................................. 255

REFERENCES ........................................................................ 256