CHAPTER V

CONCLUSION AND SUGGESTION

5.1 Conclusion

In this chapter, the researcher concludes from this research. As the researcher told in chapter I, the purposes of this research are to interpret the sociolinguistic aspects, describe Lomov's implementation and find out Lomov's reasons in choosing politeness strategy. The corpus data are 15 dialogues (exchange) which consist of power, social distance and ranking of imposition. The researcher summarizes with the following conclusion.

In Anton Chekhov's The Proposal, Lomov as main character employs positive and negative politeness which consist of nine strategies in order to make good conversation. Lomov preferred using positive than negative politeness for his purpose coming to Chubukov's house was only to propose Chubukov's house. So when the topic did not relate with his purpose he could maximize his position with the same rate or level. The reasons noticed by Lomov are whom Lomov was talking with (participant), where he was speaking (setting) and what was being talk about (topic). So Face-saving act and face-threatening can be used by him maximally.

The aspects of politeness strategy conducted by Lomov are: 1). Powerful, Lomov has more power than addressee, and Powerless, the addressee has more power than Lomov. 2). Social distance, Lomov has symmetric relation with addressee. 3). Ranking of imposition, Lomov wants to propose Chubukov's daughter named Natalia. From those aspects, L mostly used powerful and social distance if he was not talking about his proposal.

5.2 Suggestion

The last term of this research is the suggestion from the researcher. In this research, the researcher hopes for students who do not know about sociolinguistic aspects of politeness strategy can learn and try to read it in order to understand deeply because every aspect in politeness strategy has different purpose and meaning so it can be understood and applied in their daily life. The researcher also realizes that this research may be far from perfect, so it will be a base for the next researcher to analyze perfectly.