CHAPTER V

CONCLUSIONS AND SUGGESTIONS

This chapter deals with the conclusion from the discussions in this research and the suggestion of this research for the next scholars who is interested in the social analysis.

5.1 Conclusions

From the discussion in chapter IV, we can conclude in the novel class society in *The Princess Casamassima* there are four classes the upper class which consists of aristocrat and the wealthy people, lower middle class and lower class consisting of workers and poor people. Thus, in society the power is hold by the upper class whose dominance is in economic and political aspects since they have the power their treatment towards the lower middle and lower class is considered arbitrary.

In this research, there were 15 data indicating the conflict which affected by the social class. There were 2 data shows the effect in dealing with the society, 2 data shows the effect in getting education and job field, 3 data shows the effect in getting marriage, and 9 data shows effect in the political position. The represented data show that:

1. The effect in dealing with society is only represented by 2 data. The data shows that the society can determine the position of someone. In

Hyacinth case, since he is an illegitimate child of Lord Frederick and the society has low opinion toward the illegitimate child, the society put him in lower class. Therefore, Hyacinth feels and experiences the hardest way in dealing with society as the lower class, for instance the arbitrary treatment that he and people in his class get from the government and upper class.

2. 2 data show the effect of social class in getting education and job field. The lower class also cannot get good education since they do not have enough money to purchase it. Thus, they cannot get a good job to improve their life.
3. There are 3 data indicating the effect of social class in getting marriage. The position of someone can determine his chance to get woman that he love since women at that time looking for a man who has position in society to their social status. Therefore, it is limited the chance of lower class to love a woman.
4. There are 8 data indicating the effect of social class in political position. Since, the dominance of upper class in holding the economic and political aspects makes their treatment towards the lower class arbitrary. Therefore, the lower class who suffers because of upper class treatment demands for justice. To realize their goals, they form a democratic community to revolt the upper class so that they can have their rights in society.

The social class effect in *The Princess Casamassima* shows the lower class struggles to get a better position in society. The condition that is illustrated in novel also illustrates the social condition in late eighteen centuries where the upper class dominance in society makes the lower class suffer and they want to roll over the upper class dominance which later their action leads into the revolution era.

5.2 Suggestions

There are several suggestions in analyzing the novel. The following are the suggestions;

1. In studying the novel, there are two elements intrinsic and extrinsic element. The intrinsic deals with the content of the novel while the extrinsic deals with the outside aspects of the novel which affected the form of the novel. Here, the researchers have to aware of both aspects because both is still have the relation.
2. The social problems in the novel also include the content and the social condition at that time. Therefore, we can analyze the sociology of the novel from both aspects, intrinsic and extrinsic element.

3. In studying the sociology of novel we have to see either the social aspects appearing in novel, the social aspects of the author, and the social condition when the novel is published.
4. For the next researcher, since this research is only focused on the effect of the social class in the novel, the next researcher who interested in analyzing the sociological aspects of the novel can study the sociological aspects of the author for instance. Besides, the social aspects in the novel can also affect the treatment not only in dealing with society and determined the political position of someone but also can include the feminism aspects or discrimination.