CHAPTER V

CONCLUSION AND SUGGESTION

5.1. Conclusion

The study which is concerned with the maintaining Madurese Language was aimed at describing the factors supporting the maintenance of Madurese language, the way of the maintenance and the reasons for the maintaining Madurese Language. Based on the findings, conclusions are drawn as the following.

- (1) The maintenance of Madurese Language in Pandan District of Tapanuli Tengah was influenced by the role of parents in language maintenance (the use of language in family), homeland visits, the intra-marriage, the use of language in neighbors, the use of language in workplace, ethno-linguistics vitality, living together in an area, the use of language in religion domain, practice of traditional ceremony.
- (2) The maintenance of Madurese Language in Pandan District occurred by using Madurese Language in daily activity and it is done by parents, children and the environment.
- (3) The reasons for maintaining Madurese Language in Pandan District was to show their identity as Madurese people and to keep their language.

5.2. Suggestions

In relations to the conclusions, some constructive points are suggested as the following.

- (1) It is suggested that the Madurese parents in Pandan District of Tapanuli

 Tengah should keep on speaking Madurese Language among family

 members in family domain in order that the children as the next generation

 can learn and speak Madurese Language.
- (2) It is suggested that the Madurese people in Pandan District of Tapanuli Tengah should promote Madurese traditional attractions or other Madurese ceremonies in their society to enable the Madurese to be familiar and accustomed to Madurese use.

