

Mozambique's accusation against S Africa

Johannesburg radio, on 10th July, said that in commenting on the Mozambique Government's claim that its forces had killed 272 members of the National Resistance Movement (MNR) in Mozambique and its allegation that the MNR had received South African assistance, a South African Defence Force spokesman had said it was the policy of the Government not to become involved in the internal affairs of other countries. The Mozambique claim, carried by Maputo radio in a poorly received broadcast on 9th July, said the main base of the counter-revolutionary groups acting under the direction of the MNR had been attacked and occupied; the base was situated about 50 km from the border with Zimbabwe.