
MNR claim victories in northern Mozambique (Text) The MNR [Mozambique National Resistance] rebels claim they have scored massive victories in northern Mozambique. The guerrilla group says it has captured the towns Gile, Nametil and Chiure in the north of the country, allegedly leaving close to 400 government and Tanzanian troops dead. The MNR lists its own losses at eight dead and 37 wounded. There has been no independent confirmation of the attacks and diplomats believe the casualties are exaggerated. (Capital Radio, Umtata in English 1300 gmt 30 Oct 86)