of the old songs hitherto un-known by the youngsters and most probably forgotten by some of those who were there at that time. The songs will be part of Ndilimani’s next album, songs that kept as going dur-ing the difficult years of the lib-eration struggle,” said an en-thusiastic and charismatic Dr Nujoma. “Those were not easy days. It was tough but our He caught almost everybody Ndilimani means Dynamite. Do not hallucinate. They came back running as their jetfighters could not match those that we had at our disposal, like Mig-23s. Cuito Cuanavale was a turning point in the history of our country. It was that battle that forced the Boers to sign the ceasefire and agreed to the implementation of Resolution 435.” During the struggle, Ndilimani travelled throughout the world to perform at inter-national events in countries such as USA, Holland, Finland, Germany, USSR, (Union of Soviet Socialist Republics), Norway, Zambia and many other countries. Ndilimani’s Manager, Jessy Nombanza with Dr Nujoma. taught them a lesson. They came back running as their jetfighters could not match those that we had at our disposal, like Mig-23s. Cuito Cuanavale was a turning point in the history of our country. It was that battle that forced the Boers to sign the ceasefire and agreed to the implementation of Resolution 435.” During the struggle, Ndilimani travelled throughout the world to perform at inter-national events in countries such as USA, Holland, Finland, Germany, USSR, (Union of Soviet Socialist Republics), Norway, Zambia and many other countries. Ndilimani means Dynamite. It was the late Nanyemba’s assistant in setting up Ndilimani. Ndilimani was the source of our moral,” said Dr Nujoma. “Its songs kept the moral of the combatants of the People’s Lib-eration Army of Namibia, PLAN, very high. As Com-mander-in-Chief of PLAN, I know that very well. We had other songs that our combat units at the fronts composed. That is why we were able to defeat the Boers at Cuito Cuanavale together with the Cuban Internationalist Forces and Angola’s FAPLA forces. “The US and Britain sup-port the apartheid regime. They gave it arms, including nuclear weapons to frighten countries like Angola and Zam-ibia. Zambia was bombed so many times, and Angola’s southern part was virtually oc-cupied by the apartheid regime. “But at Cuito Cuanavale, we

Dr. Sam Nujoma in different motions during the struggle.

Ndilimani Cultural Troupe performing at one of the SWAPO Party rallies. Photo by Anna Nakambale.

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