Abbreviations used in footnotes:

(i). F.D.F.B. Consultations of the Foreign Branch of the Foreign Department, Government of India.


(iii). F.D.P.P. Political A Proceedings of the Foreign Department, Government of India.


(vi). F.D.S.P. Secret (External or Frontier) Proceedings of the Foreign Department, Government of India.


(viii). GOI Government of India.

All proper nouns are spelt as in the Gazetteer of the Persian Gulf.