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Matt -

I've sidebarred the paragraphs I thought might be useful for the Background section of the Chemical Treaty Bulletin. (Why "Treaty", by the way. For brevity? Strictly speaking, that's not accurate, but maybe you won't find too many nit pickers).

In the chronology I would delete:
9 + 12 October, 18 Nov., 18 January and both 27 Januarys.

1 February - What is the "DC"?

26 December - I still think a note to the effect that the Soviet announcement did not specify whether the 50,000 tons was filled munitions or total agents stockpile would be in order. The item is not a direct quote so this would be strictly factual.

Cheers, Chuck