Smuxi Issues [FROZEN ARCHIVE] - Bug # 1031: SSH Credentials screen does not explain that keyfile must be

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Subject:	SSH Credentials screen does not explain that keyfile must be PuTTY format in Windows, OpenSSH in Linux		
Description:	The SSH Credentials screen accepts a private SSH key file for authentication. It does not explain that the		
	format must be PuTTY (.ppk) on a Windows client and OpenSSH on a Linux client. This tripped me up because I figured I could just point it to my existing @~/.ssh/id_rsa@, and it didn't work (in Windows with Cygwin + OpenSSH client and server already installed). Recommended possible fixes: * A small note in the SSH Credentials dialog box indicating the required format		
	* A hyperlink in the SSH Credentials dialog box pointing to details help for setting up an SSH tunnel		

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