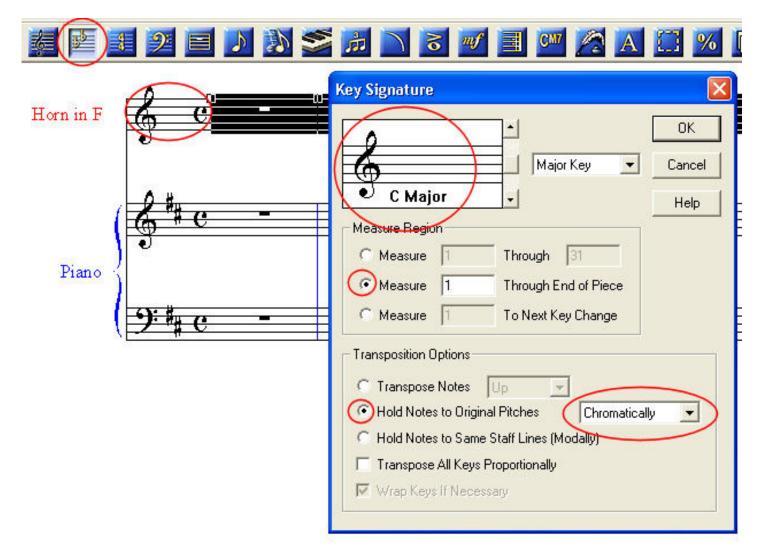
Horn in F With No Key Signature

Here's how to create an F horn staff with no key signature. Flats or sharps appear as accidentals. Playback will be correct. (The same technique can of course be applied to Bb Trumpet, Timpani, etc.)

- 1. Create the horn staff with the Staff Tool or wizard.
- 2. From the Staff Tool, double-click the handle on the horn staff.
 - a. Check "Independent Elements: Key Signature"
 - b. Check "Transposition"
 - c. Click "Transposition: Select..." In the resulting dialog, choose "Chromatic: (F) Up P5"
 - d. Close both dialogs with "OK"

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- 3. From the Key Signature tool, double-click on the Horn staff.
 - a. Pick C Major (no flats or sharps)
 - b. In Measure Region, select the entire piece.
 - c. If you have already entered correct pitches into the staff, select "Hold Notes to Original Pitches Chromatically)
 - d. Close the dialog with OK



4. You may now enter notes in the horn staff. Flats or sharps will appear as accidentals.

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