Quassel IRC - Bug #1204

Have an option to keep a buffer log, but not keep it in the channels tree

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Description

Situation: An /msg spam bot attack which involves hundreds of queries with same spam message (I got 300 messages in three batches today within one minute).

Goals:

1) Save logs.

2) Delete the query from the tree in a way which:

2.1) would have it re-appear if a same nick messages again

2.2) does not clutter channel tree (not even the show/hide channels one)

Current solutions:

A) Rely on usermodes which block queries, so you have server buffer spammed with 'n!u@h messaged you but you have mode +g'

-- with a risk of saving an IP of a legitimate query; or

B) Right click, delete chat - but logs aren't saved (see 1); or

C) Temporarily hide and enjoy seeing a 300 windows list every time I need to unhide a channel/query (see 2.2).

Ideal solution:

Have a 'close buffer' button which erases the buffer item from the tree entirely, but keeps it in logs, so if the same nick messages again, the backlog is retrieved.