Subject: Re: HTML viewer

Posted by mirek on Tue, 11 Jul 2023 11:14:13 GMT

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Oblivion wrote on Tue, 11 July 2023 12:37Hi,

In case you've missed it, we already have a fully functional html-5 parser (and sanitizer/prettifier as a bonus) now.

(Of course, I am aware that Mirek's code serves another purpose, but a fully-fledged HTML->QTF converter, using HtmlTools package would too be very easy to implement.)

## Humor me :)

I have actually noticed this, but "It corrects and cleans up HTML and XML documents by fixing markup errors and upgrading legacy code to modern standards." does not seem like going too far into rendering stuff.

Parsing HTML is (relatively) easy. Where it gets hard IMO is where you have to interpret styles to have some meaningful rendering info. Font sizes, colors, line styles and width and such.. I have not checked too deeply, but few examples I have seen do not seem to deal with that stuff at all...

Mirek