QGIS Application - Bug report #22107
Create vector New shapefile POLYGON

2019-05-20 04:53 PM - salvatore fiandaca

Status:	Closed			
Priority:	High			
Assignee:				
Category:	Data Provider/OGR			
Affected QGIS version:	3.4.8	**Regression?:**	No	
Operating System:	win 10 64b OSGeo4W	**Easy fix?:**	No	
Pull Request or Patch supplied:	No	**Resolution:**	invalid	
Crashes QGIS or corrupts data:	No	**Copied to github as #:**	29920	

Description

Layer → Create vector → New shapefile
and create a POLIGON shapefile

QGIS sees it as if it were MULTIPOLIGON (go to layer properties, information)

this is a problem if an algorithm or plugin only accepts
polygon geometries, in fact the CLIPPER plugin [0] only accepts polygons and therefore goes into error.

[0] https://plugins.qgis.org/plugins/clipper/

thank you

History

#1 - 2019-05-20 06:09 PM - Alessandro Pasotti

- Resolution set to invalid

- Status changed from Open to Closed

For shapefiles there is no difference between multi and single geometries, for this reason ogr and QGIS treat them as multi.