QGIS Application - Bug report #5862
Updating composer label text via python - problem with Item Properties panel

2012-06-25 07:24 AM - James Stott

Status:	Closed		
Priority:	Normal		
Assignee:			
Category:			
Affected QGIS version:	master	**Regression?:**	No
Operating System:		**Easy fix?:**	No
Pull Request or Patch supplied:		**Resolution:**	
Crashes QGIS or corrupts data:		**Copied to github as #:**	15326

Description

I am writing a plugin that replaces the text of a composer label based on its itemID. The text in the label says "Original text" in this example.

When I change the text of the label using:

item.setText("Hello World")

the label changes on the composer but the text in the Item Properties panel for the label doesn't, it stays as "Original text".

If I call item.displayText() before and after I change the label text this returns "Hello World".

How do I get the text to change in the Item Properties panel? Using qgis 1.8 and 1.9

If I save the project and reopen it, it displays the changed text "Hello World".

I have attached a screenshot to demonstrate.

History

#1 - 2012-06-26 12:18 AM - Marco Hugentobler

- Status changed from Open to Closed

Update should work with commit:4e36df067. Please test and report back

#2 - 2012-06-27 01:13 AM - James Stott

thanks for looking at this. I will test once osgeo4w updates to a new version and let you know.

#3 - 2012-06-29 12:33 AM - James Stott

It works with this mornings update.

Thanks for fixing this.

Any chance this can make its way into the next release (1.8.1?) so I can utilise it on a stable version of QGIS rather than having to wait for 1.9/2.0 to come out?

Files

Composer_Problem.jpg	198 KB	2012-06-25	James Stott