QGIS Application - Bug report #9790
No images in HTML labels in composer

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Status:	Closed			
Priority:	High			
Assignee:				
Category:	Map Composer/Printing			
Affected QGIS version:	master	**Regression?:**	No	
Operating System:		**Easy fix?:**	No	
Pull Request or Patch supplied:	No	**Resolution:**	wontfix	
Crashes QGIS or corrupts data:	No	**Copied to github as #:**	18331	

Description

Composer label with "Render as HTML" enabled don't display images in composition. Image appears only after exporting composition. To reproduce:

1. create new composer
2. add new label
3. enable "Render as HTML" and enter text   <img
   src="http://gis-forum.org.ua/wp-content/uploads/2014/01/copy-GIS-Forum-2014-Logo-Mini.png">

4. label rendered as empty rectangle
5. export composition in any format
6. now label displayed correctly

Tested on 2.0.1, 2.2 and master

History

#1 - 2014-04-06 06:04 AM - Jürgen Fischer

- Category changed from 33 to Map Composer/Printing

#2 - 2014-04-20 03:23 PM - Nyall Dawson

- Resolution set to wontfix

- Status changed from Open to Closed

This is a deliberate design decision. Since the composer labels are automatically updated as the label content changes the label will attempt to render invalid/partial html while the user is entering the label html content. Generally this is ok, but for images qt segfaults and crashes qgis if an attempt is made to render an invalid image url. Consequently composer labels are coded to only render html images when exporting a composition.