Window Previews & Reflections

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Designer Move / Resize Shortcuts

Arrows - Move X / Y Position CDAO

Arrows + Ctrl - Move with blue Snap Lines

<u>Shift</u> + Arrows - Resize Width / Height
Shift + Arrows + Ctrl - Snap Size to Existing

See Position on Status Bar: ENTRY(@s2),AT(120,11,17,10)

Ctrl + Z is Undo, Ctrl + Y is Redo

Designer Mouse Moves

<u>Alt + Drag on Resize turns off Snap Lines</u>

Shift + Drag does nothing

Ctrl + Select Control + Drag Dups Control

... But orphans Actions and Embeds in APPs

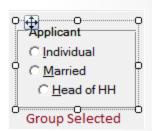
Use F2 to Duplicate in APPs

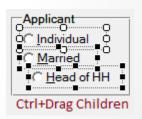
Designer Multi-Select

Ctrl + Click Multi-Selects Controls

Ctrl + Drag = Lasso Multi-Select *

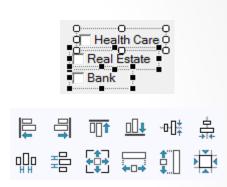
To select Group Children Only:
Click on Group, (space not line)
Then Ctrl+Drag Lasso Children
Mouse must be Arrow & not NSEW





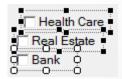
Designer Multi-Select

Multi-select "white framed" anchor control for alignment or sizing



Drag select often <u>not</u> the desired anchor

Left click changes anchor



Designer Move Tricks

AT() Math can be used in Window... Example: Move 4 controls down +21

```
PROMPT('Name:'),AT(21,23 +21)

ENTRY(@s40), AT(66,22 +21,165,11)

PROMPT('Attn:'),AT(21,43 +21)

ENTRY(@s30), AT(66,41 +21,165,11)
```

AT() with Multiply

```
ENTRY(@n9.2),AT(9,8)
                         ,USE(Amount[1])
ENTRY(@n9.2),AT(9,8+14*1),USE(Amount[2])
ENTRY(@n9.2),AT(9,8+14*2),USE(Amount[3])
ENTRY(@n9.2),AT(9,8+14*3),USE(Amount[4])
          2),AT(9,8+14*4),USE(Amount[5])
          2),AT(9,8+14*5),USE(Amount[6])
ENT
```

Designer Move Tricks

Wrap Controls in a Group before Move Don't Drag, change Group X/Y properties Best way to make room at the top Add Group with Window... Editor Open Designer & change Group X/Y If all controls on Sheet can move Sheet XY

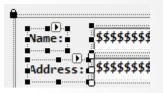
Designer "Locked" Feature

Locked Property





Move child controls, never Group



Prevent Sheet or Group accidental moves

Helps Ctrl+Drag Select inside Group

Property X/Y Entry is not Locked

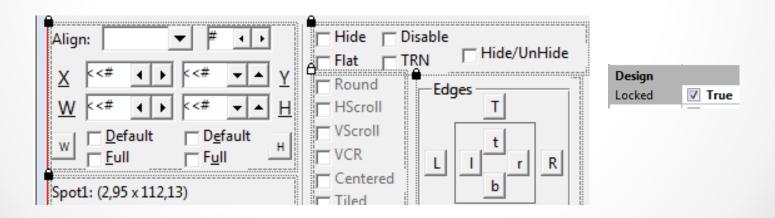
Move or Resize by Number ©

Position	
□ AT	AT(10,28,100,50)
	50
	100
X	10
Υ	28

Designer "Locked" Feature

Lock is <u>not</u> preserved on Designer Close

When Open Window Ctrl+ Select Multiple Groups and select Locked once



Window Previewer

Generates Clarion Program for that Window Makes a CLW with Window & sample data Makes a CwProj, Builds and Runs Files are in your Project folder Data from *. WinPrev files in C:\Clarion\Data\Window Previewer

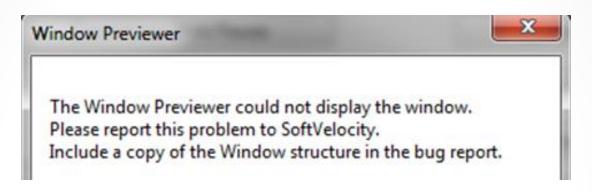
Window Previewer MIA

Click Preview and Nothing Happens No errors, no files, no nothing

Fix:

Install the .Net 2.0 Redistributable May also need to Install .Net 3.5

Previewer Error Message



Sometimes there are helpful errors

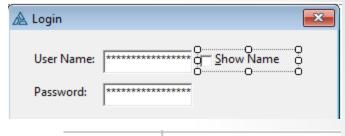


Previewer Equate Error

```
ShowYes EQUATE('1')

ShowNo EQUATE('0')

Window WINDOW('Login'),...
```



Value	VALUE(ShowYes,Sho
FalseValue	!ShowNo
TrueValue	!ShowYes

•••

```
CHECK('&Show Name'),AT(108,11), |
USE(bShowName),VALUE(ShowYes,ShowNo)
```

Previewer Error Message

Preview files are in your <u>Project folder</u>
Files are <u>not deleted</u> until Message <u>closed</u>
Save those files ... or ... (next slide)

Name	Date modified
WinPreview57cb2514-2bf9-4ff2-8791-ac001536664c.clw	9/8/2019 12:44 PM
WinPreview57cb2514-2bf9-4ff2-8791-ac001536664c.cwproj	9/8/2019 12:44 PM
WinPreview57cb2514-2bf9-4ff2-8791-ac001536664c.exe.manifest	9/8/2019 12:44 PM

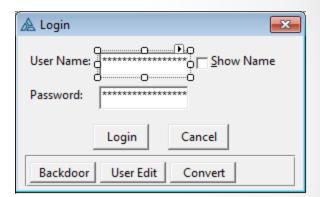
Previewer Error Message

Copy source from WinPreview .CLW Paste into scratch Win32 EXE CwProj Build and see the compile errors

Name	Date modified
WinPreview57cb2514-2bf9-4ff2-8791-ac001536664c.clw	9/8/2019 12:44 PM
WinPreview57cb2514-2bf9-4ff2-8791-ac001536664c.cwproj	9/8/2019 12:44 PM
WinPreview57cb2514-2bf9-4ff2-8791-ac001536664c.exe.manifest	9/8/2019 12:44 PM

Previewer Source Code

```
Window WINDOW('Login'),AT(,,163,82),CENTER,GRAY,SYSTEM,FONT('Segoe UI',9)
   PROMPT('User Name:'),AT(7,9),USE(?Name:Pmt)
   ENTRY(@s20),AT(47,9),USE(User),PASSWORD
   PROMPT('Password:'), AT(7,27), USE(?Pwd:Pmt)
   ENTRY (@s20), AT (47,27), USE (Pwd), PASSWORD
   CHECK('&Show Name'), AT(101,9), USE(bShowName)
   BUTTON('Login'),AT(43,47),USE(?LoginBtn)
   BUTTON('Cancel'), AT(86,47), USE(?CancelBtn)
   GROUP, AT(4,63), USE(?Secret), BOXED, HIDE
     BUTTON('Backdoor'), AT(7,67), USE(?BackDrBtn)
     BUTTON('User Edit'), AT(47,67), USE(?UEdtBtn)
     BUTTON('Convert'), AT(87,67), USE(?CvtBtn)
   END
END
```



Previewer Source Code

```
windowPreviewerCanExit BOOL(TRUE)
                                                     A Login
INCLUDE('WindowPreviewer.inc', 'Includes'),ONCE
v2 STRING(44)
                                                      User Name:
Window WINDOW('Login'), AT(,,163,82), GRAY
                                                      Password:
   PROMPT('User Name:'),AT(7,9),USE(?Name:Pmt)
   ENTRY(@s20), AT(47,9,50), USE(v2), PASSWORD
   GROUP, AT (4,63,155,17), USE (?Secret), BOXED, HIDE
                                                      Group is HIDE
 END
CODE
OPEN(Window)
INCLUDE('WindowPreviewer.inc','AfterOpen'),ONCE
v2 = 'The quick brown fox jumped over the lazy dog'
ACCEPT
   INCLUDE('WindowPreviewer.inc','InAccept'),ONCE
   IF windowPreviewerCanExit AND EVENT()=1
      AND ACCEPTED(){PROP:Type}=9 THEN BREAK.
    windowPreviewerCanExit = TRUE
 END
```

Show Name

Cancel

Login

Preview Hidden Controls

Preview does not show HIDE Controls

DISABLE Controls are ... not Enabled

My existing code has many hidden Tabs

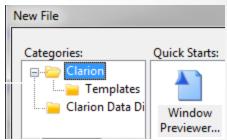
Solution...

WindowPreviewer.INC can change PROPs

WindowPreviewer.INC (include)

New file has below template:

```
SECTION('Includes')
!Variable and equate declarations here
SECTION('AfterOpen')
!Code executed after Open(Window)
   SECTION('InAccept')
!Code executed at top of the ACCEPT loop
!Set windowPreviewerCanExit__=FALSE or button
press exits preview
```



WindowPreviewer. INC

Unhide and Enable All - Buttons do not close

```
SECTION('Includes')
FEQ LONG
SECTION('AfterOpen')
  O{PROP:System}=1 !Red Close X
  LOOP !Enable and Unhide ALL Controls
    FEQ=0{PROP:NextField,FEQ}
    IF ~FEQ THEN BREAK.
    UNHIDE(FEQ) ; ENABLE(FEQ)
  END
SECTION('InAccept')
  windowPreviewerCanExit =FALSE !Click Buttons
```

WndPreview Class Install

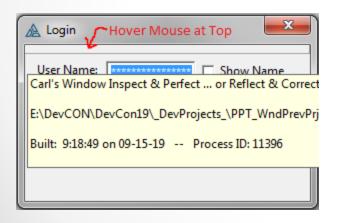
Play along at home... Download from Clarion Live Unzip Copy LibSrc files to Accessory LibSrc Preview a Window look for Button To disable hide WindowPreview.INC

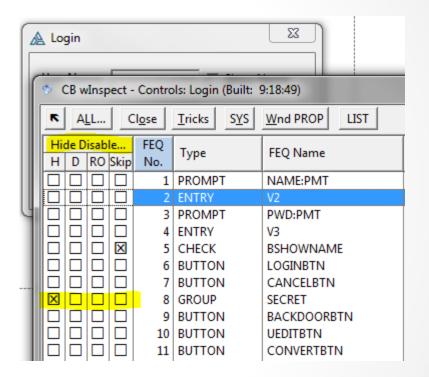
CB Wnd Preview Class

Carl's Window Previewer Class Unhide and Enable All Selectively

CB Wnd Preview Class

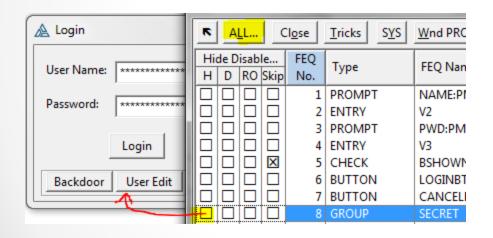
Hover Mouse at Top Reveals Flat Button Click to Open

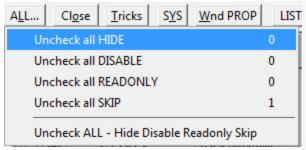




Flexible Unhide / Enable

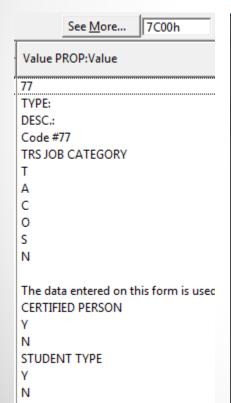
Preview can show LIST() of controls Selectively "Un" Hide Disable Readonly Skip





CB Wnd Preview ... More

Property Values best way to understand

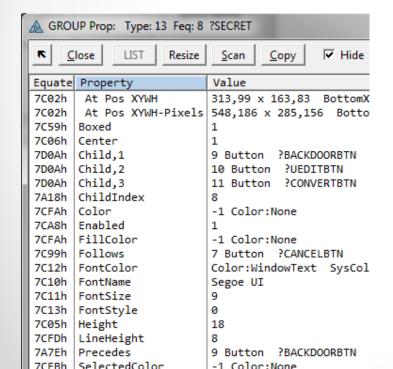


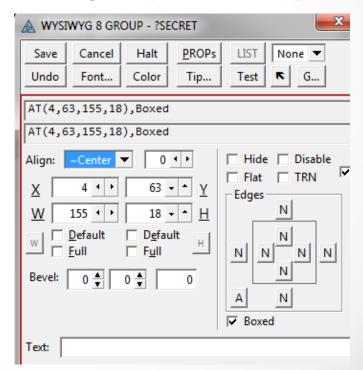
^	⚠ GROUP Prop: Type: 13 Feq: 8 ?SECRET					
	<u>R</u> <u>C</u>	lose LIST Resize	<u>S</u> can <u>C</u> opy			
	Equate	Property	Value			
	7C02h	At Pos XYWH	313,99 x 163,83 BottomX			
ı	7C02h	At Pos XYWH-Pixels	548,186 x 285,156 Botto			
ı	7C59h	Boxed	1			
ı	7C06h	Center	1			
	7D0Ah	Child,1	9 Button ?BACKDOORBTN			
	7D0Ah	Child,2	10 Button ?UEDITBTN			
ŀ	7D0Ah	Child,3	11 Button ?CONVERTBTN			
I	7A18h	ChildIndex	8			
I	7CFAh	Color	-1 Color:None			
I		Enabled	1			
I	7CFAh	FillColor	-1 Color:None			
I	7C99h	Follows	7 Button ?CANCELBTN			
I	7C12h	FontColor	Color:WindowText SysCol			
I	7C10h	FontName	Segoe UI			
I	7C11h	FontSize	9			
I	7C13h	FontStyle	0			
I	7C05h	Height	18			
I	7CFDh	LineHeight	8			
I	7A7Eh	Precedes	9 Button ?BACKDOORBTN			
I		SelectedColor	-1 Color:None			
I	7CFCh	SelectedFillColor	-1 Color:None			
I	7C01h	Type	GROUP			
I	7C01h	Туре	13			
	7CA7h	Visible	1			
	7C04h	Width	155			
I	Win32	Win ClassName	ClaGroup_0400000H			

⚠ WINDOW Prop: Type: 25 Feq: 0 Window					
K <u>C</u>	lose LIST I	Resize <u>S</u> can <u>C</u> opy			
Equate	Property	Value			
7C02h	At Pos XYWH	453,254 x 187,101 Bo			
7C02h	At Pos XYWH-P	793,476 x 327,189 Bo			
Win32	At Win Client	0,0 x 327,189 Width,			
Win32	At Win Rect L	793,476 x 1126,693 W:			
7A4Dh	Client Pos XY	0,0 x 187,101 Bottom			
7A4Dh	Client Pos XY	0,0 x 327,189 Bottom			
7C06h	Center	1			
7D0Ah		1 Prompt ?NAME:PMT			
7D0Ah		2 Entry ?USER			
7D0Ah	Child,3	3 Prompt ?PWD:PMT			
7D0Ah		4 Entry ?PWD			
7D0Ah		5 Check ?BSHOWNAME			
	ClientHandle	140140 = 02236Ch			
7CB5h					
7CFAh Color		-1 Color:None			
7CFAh FillColor		-1 Color:None			
	FontCharSet	0			
	FontColor	Color:WindowText Sys			
	FontName	Segoe UI			
	FontSize	9			
7C13h	· - · · · - · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	0			
7C64h	Gray	1			
7C96h	Handle	205546 = 0322EAh			
7C05h	Height	101			

CB Wnd Preview ... More

More than Unhide. Property Reflection (Inspect) and Window Design (Perfect)





Tricks - Developer Tool Tips

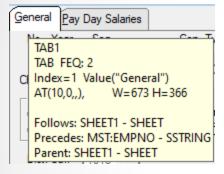
Override Norm, Trs. Ins. Rates

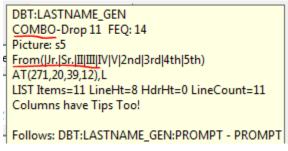
CHECK FEQ: 139

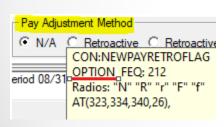
Value("Y", "N")

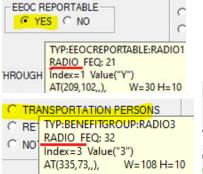
AT(345,247,,),

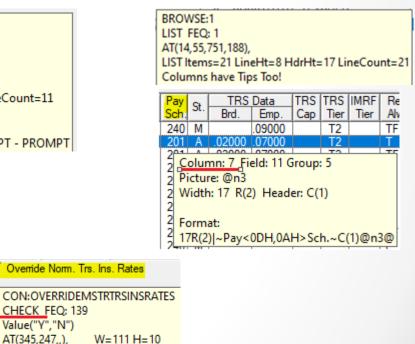
All Controls PROP: Tip = Dev Info









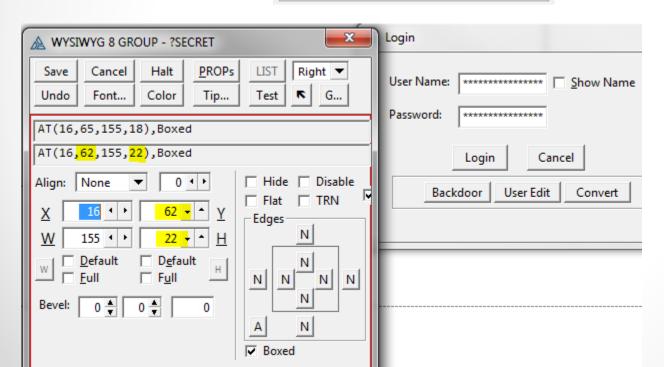


WYSIWYG Resizer (Designer)

Designer ok:

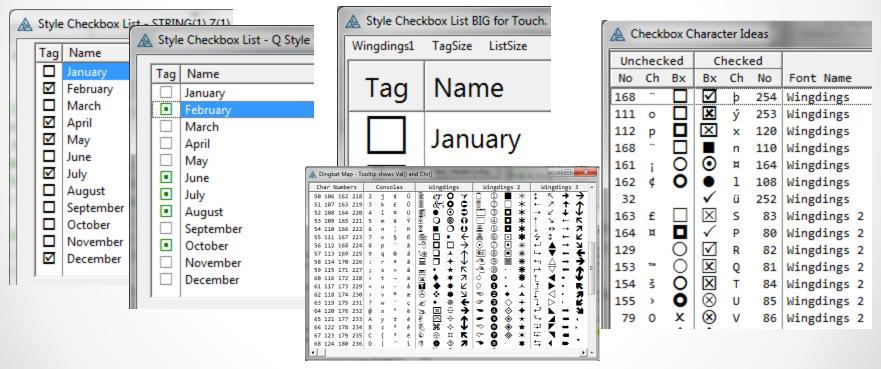
Not Preview:



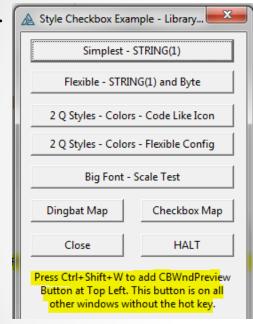


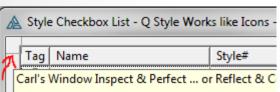
LIST Checkbox Style Example

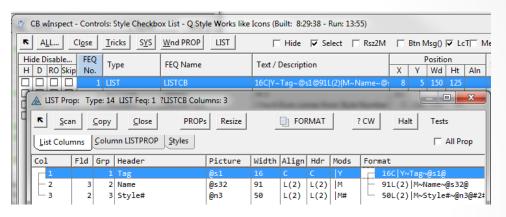
Class Checks use Style not Icons



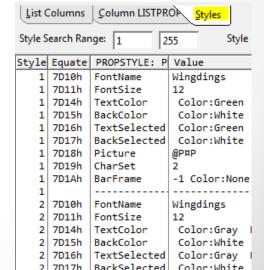
Example has CB Wnd Preview



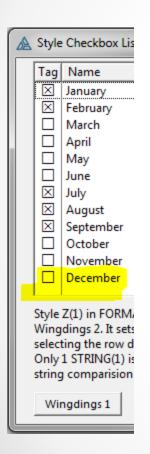


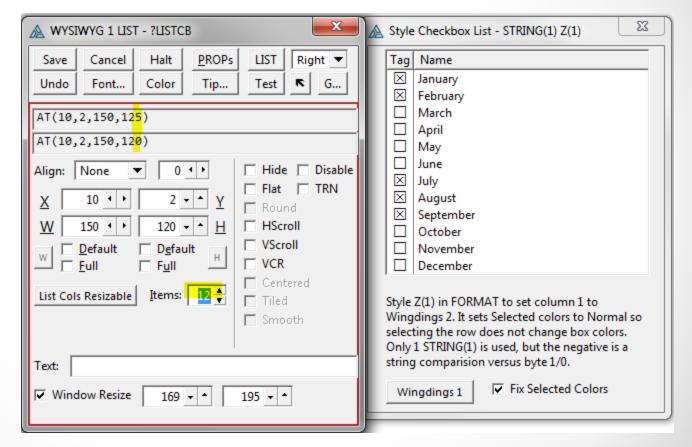


List Column Column LISTPROP Styles 16C Y~Tag~@s1@					
Equate PROPLIST: Property Mod Value					
0001h	Column 1		ListFEQ{PROPL		
7E2Ch	CellStyle	Υ	1		
7E14h	Center	C	1		
7E2Dh	ColStyle	Z	0		
7EØEh	FieldNo	#	1		
7E0Fh	Format		16C Y~Tag~@s1		
7E0Dh	GroupNo		1		
7E03h	Header	~~	Tag		
7E1Ch	HeaderCenter	C	1		
7E05h	Picture	@	@s1		
7E02h	RightBorder	ĺĺ	ĭ		
7E04h	Width	' '	16		



Resize LIST for Perfect Size





Method Z - Column Style Z(#)

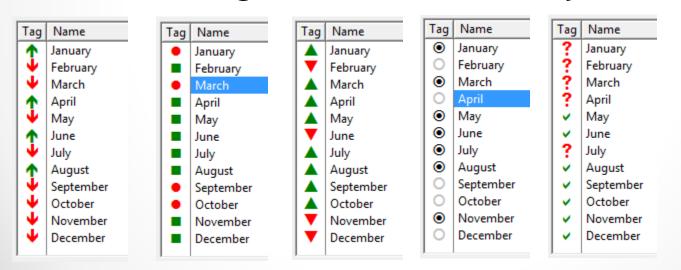
Code same a Text 'X' check Style Z(#) in Format, not in Queue Style sets Wingding Font for Column Limited to One Font and Color for Column Queue has STRING(1) with Check Character Wingdings has check characters "□⊠⊡"

Method Y - Cell Style in Queue

Code very similar to PROP:ListIcon Queue has STRING(1) and LONG Style Style LONG is Checked Status and Symbol Can use multiple Fonts and Colors Style can have Picture @P<253>P with Check Character to show e.g. "□区図"

LIST Styles for Icons

Styles + Wingding alternate to Icons
Draw attention with colored Symbols
Unicode brings 1000s of new symbols



Click Header LIST Sort - Old

ALRT(MouseLeft) to Detect Header Click
Code in EVENT:PreAlertKey and Alert
PROPList:MouseDownRow=0 (Header)
PROPList:MouseDownZone<> Right (Resize)
LIST Broken without PreAlert Cycle

C9 New PropList: HasSortColumn

C9 PropList: HasSortColumn

Colors for Header and Data of Sort Column CYCLE in Event prevents Coloring

Set Colored Column: PROPLIST: SortColumn

Colors Optional Highlight Text & Tool Tip Data

▲ #1# Order - HasSortColumn: SORT (3 /4) + DIRQ:DATE, + DIRQ:TIME							
Column 5 Name is Q Field #1#. C9 PROPLIST:HasSortColumn and EVENT:HeaderPress							
Short Name	Date	Time	Size	Name			
~DFE37~1.TMP	9/12/19	17:02:42	16,384	~DFE37222124D8B527E.TMP			
000_OP~1.000	9/12/19	19:50:15	25,756	000_OpenFiles_000.000			
CVRF29~1.CVR	9/12/19	19:56:50	0	CVRF297.tmp.cvr			
CVR74E~1.CVR	9/12/19	20:23:37	0	CVR74E1.tmp.cvr			
CVR3AE~1.CVR	9/12/19	20:26:38	0	CVR3AED.tmp.cvr			
CVR6F3~1.CVR	9/13/19	8:25:35	0	CVR6F33.tmp.cvr			
Edit.004	9/13/19	13:17:08	1,414	Edit.004			
~DFB86~1.TMP	9/14/19	10:03:27	512	~DFB86F70F487439A11.TMP			
~DFE75~1.TMP	9/14/19	10:03:27	16,384	~DFE75AB0C75CF674A6.TMP			
CVREAF~1.CVR	9/14/19	10:52:04	0	CVREAF5.tmp.cvr			

C9 PropList:HasSortColumn

Column clicked is PROPLIST: SortColumn

Better to use same old Sort code:

```
Col#=?List{PROPList:MouseDownField}
```

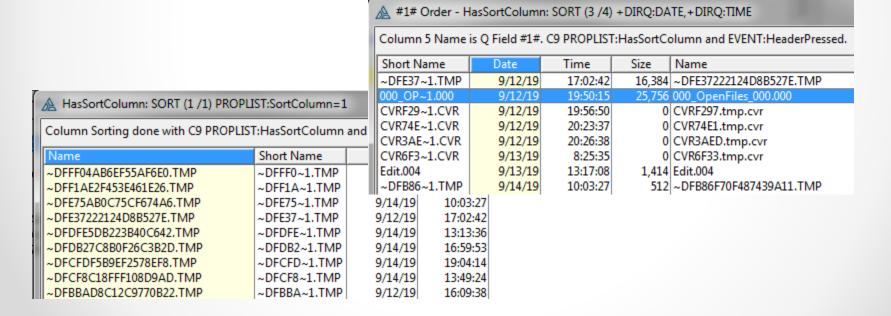
To get Queue Field for WHO (always do):

```
QFld#=?List{PROPList:FieldNo, Col#}
```

Can assign: MouseDownField/SortColumn

LIST Column Sort Example

Alert Mouse and PropList:HasSortColumn Columns out of Queue order



LIST Sort BrwExt Example

LibSrc has BrwExt.INC / .CLW

Many features like Ctrl+ Multi-Column

Template BrwExt.TPW

BrwExt.CLW SortHeaderClassType C:\Users\Carl\AppData\Local\Temp\ (106 records)					
Column Sorting done with BrwExt.CLW SortHeaderClassType					
Name	Short Name	Date[+2]	Time[+1]	Size	Attr
~DF1AC3C58871EC1109.TMP	~DF1AC~1.T	9/10/19	8:18:36	114,688	32
CVR6F33.tmp.cvr	CVR6F3~1.CV	9/13/19	8:25:35	0	32
~DF93478E60602C9C7B.TMP	~DF934~1.TN	9/12/19	9:01:11	114,688	32
Rt_652C.tmp	rt_652C.tmp	9/12/19	9:01:58	24,065	32
Lt_652B.tmp	lt_652B.tmp	9/12/19	9:01:58	24,065	32
~DF1B077D522AE3A8EE.TMP	~DF1B0~1.TI	9/09/19	9:19:08	512	32
~DFB86F70F487439A11.TMP	~DFB86~1.Tf	9/14/19	10:03:27	512	32
~DFE75AB0C75CF674A6.TMP	~DFE75~1.TN	9/14/19	10:03:27	16,384	32
Edit.002	Edit.002	9/12/19	10:18:41	209	32

CB Wnd Preview

Show some stuff