### **NAME**

Mail::Message::Body::File - body of a message temporarily stored in a file

#### **INHERITANCE**

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Mail::Message::Body::File
  is a Mail::Message::Body
  is a Mail::Reporter
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#### **SYNOPSIS**

See Mail::Message::Body

#### DESCRIPTION

The body (content) of a message can be stored in various ways. In this documentation you find the description of extra functionality you have when a message is stored in a file.

Storing a whole message is a file is useful when the body is large. Although access through a file is slower, it is saving a lot of memory.

Extends "DESCRIPTION" in Mail::Message::Body.

## **OVERLOADED**

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Extends "OVERLOADED" in Mail::Message::Body.

overload: ""

Inherited, see "OVERLOADED" in Mail::Message::Body

overload: '==' and '!='

Inherited, see "OVERLOADED" in Mail::Message::Body

overload: @{}

Inherited, see "OVERLOADED" in Mail::Message::Body

overload: bool

Inherited, see "OVERLOADED" in Mail::Message::Body
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## **METHODS**

Extends "METHODS" in Mail::Message::Body.

#### Constructors

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Extends "Constructors" in Mail::Message::Body.

$obj->clone()
Inherited, see "Constructors" in Mail::Message::Body
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Mail::Message::Body::File->new(%options)

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-Option --Defined in --Default
based_on Mail::Message::Body undef
charset Mail::Message::Body 'PERL' or <undef>
checked Mail::Message::Body undef
data Mail::Message::Body undef
description Mail::Message::Body undef
disposition Mail::Message::Body undef
eol Mail::Message::Body undef
file Mail::Message::Body undef
filename Mail::Message::Body undef
log Mail::Message::Body undef
mime_type Mail::Message::Body (*text/plain)
modified Mail::Message::Body 'text/plain'
modified Mail::Message::Body 'text/plain'
modified Mail::Message::Body 'mone'
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based_on => BODY
        charset => CHARSET|'PERL'
        checked => BOOLEAN
        content id => STRING
        data => ARRAY-OF-LINES | STRING
        description => STRING|FIELD
        disposition => STRING|FIELD
        eol => 'CR'|'LF'|'CRLF'|'NATIVE'
        file => FILENAME|FILEHANDLE|IOHANDLE
        filename => FILENAME
        log => LEVEL
        message => MESSAGE
        mime_type => STRING|FIELD|MIME
        modified => BOOLEAN
        trace => LEVEL
        transfer encoding => STRING|FIELD
Constructing a body
    Extends "Constructing a body" in Mail::Message::Body.
    $obj->attach($messages, %options)
        Inherited, see "Constructing a body" in Mail::Message::Body::Construct
    $obj->check()
        Inherited, see "Constructing a body" in Mail::Message::Body::Encode
    $obj->concatenate($components)
        Inherited, see "Constructing a body" in Mail::Message::Body::Construct
    $obj->decoded(%options)
        Inherited, see "Constructing a body" in Mail::Message::Body
    $obj->encode(%options)
        Inherited, see "Constructing a body" in Mail::Message::Body::Encode
    $obj->encoded()
        Inherited, see "Constructing a body" in Mail::Message::Body::Encode
    $obj->eol(['CR'|'LF'|'CRLF'|'NATIVE'])
        Inherited, see "Constructing a body" in Mail::Message::Body
    $obj->foreachLine(CODE)
        Inherited, see "Constructing a body" in Mail::Message::Body::Construct
    $obj->stripSignature(%options)
        Inherited, see "Constructing a body" in Mail::Message::Body::Construct
    $obj->unify($body)
        Inherited, see "Constructing a body" in Mail::Message::Body::Encode
The body
    Extends "The body" in Mail::Message::Body.
    $obj->isDelayed()
        Inherited, see "The body" in Mail::Message::Body
    $obj->isMultipart()
        Inherited, see "The body" in Mail::Message::Body
    $obj->isNested()
        Inherited, see "The body" in Mail::Message::Body
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$obj->message([$message])
         Inherited, see "The body" in Mail::Message::Body
    $obj->partNumberOf($part)
         Inherited, see "The body" in Mail::Message::Body
About the payload
    Extends "About the payload" in Mail::Message::Body.
    $obj->charset()
         Inherited, see "About the payload" in Mail::Message::Body
    $obj->checked([BOOLEAN])
         Inherited, see "About the payload" in Mail::Message::Body
    $obj->contentId([STRING|$field])
         Inherited, see "About the payload" in Mail::Message::Body
    $obj->description([STRING|$field])
         Inherited, see "About the payload" in Mail::Message::Body
    $obj->disposition([STRING|$field])
         Inherited, see "About the payload" in Mail::Message::Body
    $obj->dispositionFilename([$directory])
         Inherited, see "About the payload" in Mail::Message::Body::Encode
    $obj->isBinary()
         Inherited, see "About the payload" in Mail::Message::Body::Encode
    $obj->isText()
         Inherited, see "About the payload" in Mail::Message::Body::Encode
    $obj->mimeType()
         Inherited, see "About the payload" in Mail::Message::Body
    $obj->nrLines()
         Inherited, see "About the payload" in Mail::Message::Body
    $obj->size()
         Inherited, see "About the payload" in Mail::Message::Body
    $obj->transferEncoding([STRING|$field])
         Inherited, see "About the payload" in Mail::Message::Body
    $obj->type([STRING|$field])
         Inherited, see "About the payload" in Mail::Message::Body
Access to the payload
    Extends "Access to the payload" in Mail::Message::Body.
    $obj->endsOnNewline()
         Inherited, see "Access to the payload" in Mail::Message::Body
    $obj->file()
         Inherited, see "Access to the payload" in Mail::Message::Body
    $obj->lines()
         Inherited, see "Access to the payload" in Mail::Message::Body
    $obj->print([$fh])
         Inherited, see "Access to the payload" in Mail::Message::Body
    $obj->printEscapedFrom($fh)
         Inherited, see "Access to the payload" in Mail::Message::Body
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$obj->string()
         Inherited, see "Access to the payload" in Mail::Message::Body
    $obj->stripTrailingNewline()
         Inherited, see "Access to the payload" in Mail::Message::Body
    $obj->write(%options)
         Inherited, see "Access to the payload" in Mail::Message::Body
Internals
    Extends "Internals" in Mail::Message::Body.
    $obj->addTransferEncHandler($name, <\$class|\$object>)
    Mail::Message::Body::File->addTransferEncHandler( $name, <$class|$object>)
         Inherited, see "Internals" in Mail::Message::Body::Encode
    $obj->contentInfoFrom($head)
         Inherited, see "Internals" in Mail::Message::Body
    $obj->contentInfoTo($head)
         Inherited, see "Internals" in Mail::Message::Body
    $obj->fileLocation([$begin, $end])
         Inherited, see "Internals" in Mail::Message::Body
    $obj->getTransferEncHandler($type)
         Inherited, see "Internals" in Mail::Message::Body::Encode
    $obj->isModified()
         Inherited, see "Internals" in Mail::Message::Body
    $obj->load()
         Inherited, see "Internals" in Mail::Message::Body
    $obj->modified([BOOLEAN])
         Inherited, see "Internals" in Mail::Message::Body
    $obj->moveLocation([$distance])
         Inherited, see "Internals" in Mail::Message::Body
    $obj->read( $parser, $head, $bodytype, [$chars, [$lines]] )
         Inherited, see "Internals" in Mail::Message::Body
    $obj->tempFilename( [$filename] )
         Returns the name of the temporary file which is used to store this body.
Error handling
    Extends "Error handling" in Mail::Message::Body.
    $obj->AUTOLOAD()
         Inherited, see "Error handling" in Mail::Message::Body
    $obj->addReport($object)
         Inherited, see "Error handling" in Mail::Reporter
    $obj->defaultTrace( [$level]|[$loglevel, $tracelevel]|[$level, $callback] )
    Mail::Message::Body::File->defaultTrace([$level]|[$loglevel, $tracelevel]|[$level, $callback])
         Inherited, see "Error handling" in Mail::Reporter
    $obj->errors()
         Inherited, see "Error handling" in Mail::Reporter
    $obj->log([$level, [$strings]])
    Mail::Message::Body::File->log([$level, [$strings]])
         Inherited, see "Error handling" in Mail::Reporter
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$obj->logPriority($level)
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Mail::Message::Body::File->logPriority(\$level)

Inherited, see "Error handling" in Mail::Reporter

\$obj->logSettings()

Inherited, see "Error handling" in Mail::Reporter

\$obj->notImplemented()

Inherited, see "Error handling" in Mail::Reporter

\$obj->report([\$level])

Inherited, see "Error handling" in Mail::Reporter

\$obj->reportAll([\$level])

Inherited, see "Error handling" in Mail::Reporter

\$obj->trace([\$level])

Inherited, see "Error handling" in Mail::Reporter

\$obj->warnings()

Inherited, see "Error handling" in Mail::Reporter

#### Cleanup

Extends "Cleanup" in Mail::Message::Body.

\$obj->DESTROY()

The temporary file is automatically removed when the body is not required anymore.

#### **DETAILS**

Extends "DETAILS" in Mail::Message::Body.

# **DIAGNOSTICS**

Error: Cannot write to temporary body file \$filename: \$!

The message body is to be stored in a temporary file (probably because it is a large body), but for the indicated reason, this file cannot be created.

Warning: Charset \$name is not known

The encoding or decoding of a message body encounters a character set which is not understood by Perl's Encode module.

Warning: No decoder defined for transfer encoding \$name.

The data (message body) is encoded in a way which is not currently understood, therefore no decoding (or recoding) can take place.

Warning: No encoder defined for transfer encoding \$name.

The data (message body) has been decoded, but the required encoding is unknown. The decoded data is returned.

Error: Package \$package does not implement \$method.

Fatal error: the specific package (or one of its superclasses) does not implement this method where it should. This message means that some other related classes do implement this method however the class at hand does not. Probably you should investigate this and probably inform the author of the package.

Error: Unable to read file \$filename for message body file: \$!

A Mail::Message::Body::File object is to be created from a named file, but it is impossible to read that file to retrieve the lines within. Therefore, no copy to a temporary file can be made.

Warning: Unknown line terminator \$eol ignored

#### **SEE ALSO**

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Mail::Message::Body::File(3pm)

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