Kenneth P. Bowman wrote:
> In article <Pine.OSX.4.61.0508232044150.9617@gouda.local>,
> Ken Mankoff <mankoff@gmail.com> wrote:
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>> OK, I'm thinking of making the switch. Everything works well so far.
>> But I figure I might as well go all the way, and switch from the X
>> emacs (mine is installed via fink) to the Aqua Emacs.app. Emacs.app
>> runs IDLWAVE fine, but not IDLWAVE help because I can't get it
>> running w3m. Googling for emacs.app and w3m turns up suprisingly
>> few results. Any suggestions?
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> Sorry, I'm not an emacs user. I prefer my editor to be less complicated
> than my operating system. ;-) But then, I don't mind using the PDF
> help files.
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> I'm happy with a simple editor. I like BBEdit. You can download the
> free version, TextWrangler, from barebones.com.

I would like to chime in here with a testimonial for SubEthaEdit text
editor.

http://www.codingmonkeys.de/subethaedit/

Larry van Peursam, formerly of RSI, write the mode configuration to
enable syntax highlighting for IDL 6.1. The editor comes with a a
command line system - so I can call it from IDL with a spawn command
wrapped in a IDL procedure...

IDL> see, 'tvimage'

and tahdah! tvimage.pro opens up in the editor.

It's worth the try - don't forget to download the IDL syntax mode.

Cheers,
Ben