URLs in external links in the form of

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[url|description]
```

are completely parsed. This causes problems (HTML error 404 = site not found) if the URL contains character sequences which are part of the Wiki syntax. Using

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~np~
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doesn't work for parts of the URL as a space is added. The only workaround is to use

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~np~
```

for the whole URL. This results in a behaviour which is not in line with the Wiki setting saying that external links should be opened in a new window.

Two examples are

pplier_Pric.aspx and
http://www.deutsche-rentenversicherung.de/nn_23882/SharedDocs/de/Navigation/Rente/AuslandRente__node.html

Solution
Stop parsing the URL or parse only the beginning in order to determine the protocol, e.g. http, ftp, ...

Demonstrate Bug
Please demonstrate your bug on show2.tikiwiki.org

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