Example: a set of integers

- Create a new type to represent a set of integers
 - Initially the set is empty
 - A particular integer appears only once in a set

This constraint, called a representational invariant, is enforced by the code in the methods.

- Internal data representation
 - Use a list to remember the elements of the set
- Interface
 - insert(e) insert integer e into set if not already there
 - member(e) return True if integer e is in the set, False otherwise
 - remove(e) remove integer e from set, error if not found