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ResError

Find if an error occurred in a resource operation

#include < Resources.h >

**Resource Manager** 

```
short ResError();
returns an Error Code from last operation (0=no error)
```

All resource-related functions store a result code in a low-memory global. You can use **ResError** to read that code and see if the most recent operation caused an error, and if so, what the error was.

**Returns**: an integer; the <u>Error Code</u> of the most recent resource-related operation. It may be a file system error or one of the following resource error constants:

```
noErr (0) No Error (this constant is defined in MacTypes.h)
resNotFound (-192) Resource not found
resFNotFound (-193) Resource file not found
addResFailed (-194) AddResource failed
rmvResFailed (-196) RmveResource failed
(-197) (not used)
resAttrErr (-198) Attribute does not permit operation
mapReadErr (-199) Error reading resource map
```

Notes: **ResError** is functionally equivalent to reading the low-memory global, <u>ResErr</u>; i.e., the following are the same, except the latter generates less code and is faster:

```
if ( ResError() ) { ... an error occurred ... }
if ( ResErr ) { ... an error occurred ... }
```

**ResError** may return other system errors, for instance, <u>dskFulErr</u> or <u>memFullErr</u>. See <u>Error Codes</u> for a full list.

A few <u>Resource Manager</u> functions indicate errors by returning a NIL handle (e.g., <u>GetResource</u>). When these calls fail, <u>ResError</u> returns noErr, so be sure to check for NIL handles!