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## [Republic of Texas Named On Two Maps] Lizars' Edinburgh Geographical General Atlas: containing Maps of every Empire, State, and Kingdom; with a tabular view of the heights of the Great Mountain chains, and a very copious and comprehensive consulting index.

**Stock#:** 69016  
**Map Maker:** Lizars  
  
**Date:** 1842  
**Place:** Edinburgh and London  
**Color:** Hand Colored  
**Condition:** VG  
**Size:** 13 x 19.5 inches  
  
**Price:** SOLD



### Description:

#### ***"Republic of Texas" Edition.***

A nice example of the 1842 edition of Lizars's *Edinburgh Geographical General Atlas*, with two maps labeling the "Republic of Texas" within the map image.

Almost all maps from the Republic of Texas period simply label the Republic "Texas" however, Lizars goes one step further in this atlas, choosing instead the full name of the polity. The maps showing the Republic of Texas are 63 ("United States & Texas. With all the Railways & Canals.") and 66 ("Mexico & Guatimala, with the Republic of Texas.")

The atlas is characteristic of Lizars' clean, considered engraving and coloring - qualities which had initially one him the business of producing John James Audubon's *Birds of America* (before he lost out to Havell's aquatinting capabilities.)

The atlas also includes wall maps of the continents in four sheets.

Lizars first started publishing the atlas in 1826 and continued to do so, with slightly varying titles, through 1842.



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## Maps

1. Western Hemisphere
2. Eastern Hemisphere
- 3, 4. World, on Mercator's Projection
- 5, 6, 7, 8. Europe, on Four Sheets
9. British Islands
- 10, 11. England, on Two Sheets
- 12, 13. Scotland, on Two Sheets
- 14, 15. Ireland, on Two Sheets
16. Scandinavia and Iceland
17. Denmark
- 18, 19. Russian Empire, on Two Sheets
20. Poland and Lithuania
21. Germany, Prussian Dominions, and Northern Independent States
22. Westphalia
23. Upper and Lower Rhine, partly Provinces of Prussia
24. Upper Saxony
25. Lower Saxony
26. Franconia
27. Swabia
28. Bavaria Proper
29. Germany, Austrian Dominions
30. Bohemia and Moravia, Provinces of Austria
31. Hungary, Transylvania, and Sclavonia, Provinces of Austria
- 32. (This number was, by mistake, left out in the numbering of the plates) \*as indicated on the**

## **Consulting Index**

33. The Netherlands, Dutch Provinces
34. The Netherlands, Belgic Provinces
35. France, in Provinces
36. France, in Departments
37. Spain and Portugal
38. Switzerland
39. Sardinia



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- 40. Italy
- 41. Turkey, in Europe
- 42, 43, 44, 45. Asia, on Four Sheets
- 46. Turkey, in Asia
- 47. Arabia, Egypt, and Nubia
- 48. Persia
- 49. Hindostan
- 50. China
- 51. East India Islands
- 52. Australasia, Van Diemen's Land, &c.
- 53, 54, 55, 56. Africa, on Four Sheets
- 57. Egypt
- 58, 59, 60, 61. America, on Four Sheets
- 62. British Possessions in North America
- 63. United States
- 64. West India Islands
- 65. Chart of the Atlantic Ocean
- 66. Mexico and Guatemala
- 67. Columbia and Guyana
- 68. Lower Peru, Brazil, and Paraguay
- 69. Bolivia, or Upper Peru, Chili, and La Plata

**Detailed Condition:**

Folio. Modern ½ red cloth over green globe, gilt-lettered on spine. 68 engraved maps in original hand-color (maps are numbered to 69, but as the index states, number 32 was accidentally omitted.) (Scattered tape repairs to the edges of the title and a few maps.)