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Local & State News

◆ HUNDREDS BUY SEIZED GUNS

Nearly 500 people crowded into Bid To Buy Auction in Etowah on Saturday to buy firearms that had been seized by the McMinn County Sheriff's Office over the past 30 years. More than 400 firearms plus several cross bows were auctioned off. Sheriff Joe Guy says proceeds will be used to buy firearms and body armor for his officers.

◆ MAYFIELD IS TOP FUND RAISER

Political newcomer Scottie Mayfield raised a record \$450,648 in the first seven weeks of his campaign. That sets a quarterly fund-raising record in Tennessee's 3rd Congressional District. The previous record was held by incumbent Chuck Fleischmann, who raised \$321,230 in the last quarter of 2011.

◆ "CASH MOB" SCHEDULED FOR ATHENS

The Athens Chamber of Commerce will stage a "Cash Mob" this Thursday at 11:15 a.m. at The Outdoor Store on S. Congress Parkway. Each member of the "mob" will purchase at least one item for \$20.00. Cash mobs are a way to help small businesses succeed in this economy by dramatically increasing a store's profits in one day. You are invited to be a "mobster" this Thursday.

NATIONAL-WORLD NEWS

◆ Police in Tulsa, Oklahoma, have arrested two men in connection with a shooting spree last Friday that left three blacks dead and two wounded. Two white men, ages 19 and 32, were arrested early Sunday after police received an anonymous tip.

◆ CBS Newsman Mike Wallace is dead at age 93. Wallace was on the staff of "60 Minutes" when it began in 1968 and was one of its mainstays from then on. He was known for his tough interviews.

◆ England has banned displays of tobacco products in shops and supermarkets. Under the new rules, cigarettes and other tobacco products must be kept out of sight.

◆ A cruise ship carrying relatives of some of the more than 1,500 people who died aboard the Titanic nearly 100 years ago set sail from England on Sunday to retrace the ship's voyage, including a visit to the location where it sank. The Titanic Memorial Cruise is carrying the same number of passengers as the Titanic did.

◆ In England, a pre-schooler taking part in an Easter Egg Hunt found an unexploded World War II hand grenade. The grenade was brown and about four inches high and looked like an Easter Egg. A bomb disposal squad destroyed the grenade.



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 Choose to Lose Challenge begins April 16. 6 week Weight Loss Challenge.
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Monday, April 9, 2012

Athens, Tennessee

Phillip Fulmer Coming To Athens

Former UT Vols football coach Phillip Fulmer will headline the Athens Chamber of Commerce's 6th Annual Benefit Dinner on July 28th. Fulmer will be joined by wide receiver Peerless Price and linebacker and team captain Al Wilson from UT's 1998 national championship team. Price was the co-MVP of the national championship game over Florida State. The dinner will be held at Tennessee Wesleyan College at 6 p.m. Tickets are \$25 and are available at the Chamber office at 13 N. Jackson St. in downtown Athens.



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◆ COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:

✓ The Athens Civitan Club's 32nd annual Special Olympics Track & Field Events will be held May 12th at the McMinn County High School gymnasium. Athletes must be at least 8 to participate. To get a registration form, call Kent Wilson at 829-5219. Forms must be turned in no later than April 20th.

Obituaries

Laura A. Shoemaker, age 90, of Camp Hill, Pennsylvania, died Saturday at her home. She was the widow of Raymond Shoemaker who was a former resident of Athens. Funeral arrangements will be announced by Smith Funeral & Cremation Services of Athens.

SCRAMBLING FOR EGGS

Several hundred youngsters took part in the annual Etowah Easter Egg Hunt last Saturday on the city's three baseball fields. (Photo by Durant Tullock)



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THIS DAY IN HISTORY - APRIL 9

1865 - Confederate General Robert E. Lee surrendered to Union General Ulysses S. Grant at Appomattox Courthouse in Virginia, thus ending the Civil War.

1932 - Carl Perkins ("Mr. Blue Suede Shoes") was born. His biggest hit was "Blue Suede Shoes." He also wrote "Daddy Sang Bass," a big hit for Johnny Cash, as well as the Judd's #1 hit "Let Me Tell You About Love." Perkins died in 1998 from throat cancer.

1942 - Country singer Margo Smith was born. Her biggest hit records were "Don't Break The Heart That Loves You" and "It Only Hurts For A Little While."

1945 - National Football League officials made it mandatory for football players to wear socks in all league games.

1977 - The Swedish group Abba debuted at number one on the American pop charts with "Dancing Queen."

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