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turnout since reconstruction. By voting, we participate in the decision making process. We ourselves will determine how our homes, communities

and nation will be governed. Vote Democratic Nov. 2.

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**Black-On
SPORTS**

by Robert Eller
Sports Editor

Cincinnati Reds General Manager Bob Housman made an interesting comment during the presentation of the World Series trophy to his team. Housman stated that the 1975 edition of the Reds may be the last balanced team ever to capture the fall classic.

Housman, no doubt, was referring to the number of free agents that will be on the market this winter. Such stars as Reggie Jackson, Rollie Fingers, his own Don Gullett, Sal Bando, Bert Campanaris, Don Baylor, Bobby Grich, Dave Cash, and Joe Rudi will be on the market going to the highest bidder. This writer does not agree with him.

Many baseball men feel that the teams with the big bankrolls will stock up on the unsigned talent and these teams will dominate baseball and ruin the game.

But, lets look at the other side of the coin. During the great Yankee dynasty baseball was not ruined and the Yankees dominated the sport for quite a few years. Still, the fans did not forsake the game and the brand of baseball played was not diminished. The sport of football went through the same type of situation after last season and that sport is probably more balanced than ever now.

The real problem is not the fear that the game will be ruined but that the greedy owners will have to give up more money to keep their stars from moving where they can be paid fair market value for their services.

On the basketball front the Pro basketball season has begun and quite a few things have changed. There is no longer an

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DURHAM, N.C. -- Maryland-Eastern Shore and Howard threw up a couple of road blocks in the Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference football standings after results Saturday afternoon.

A&T had to come from behind in the second half to tie Howard, 21-21 while Maryland-Eastern Shore snapped a 16-game losing streak by defeating North Carolina Central, 21-19.

Morgan State kept its conference championship hopes alive with a 36-13 victory over Delaware State and South Carolina State maintained its winning ways with a 25-7 decision over Newberry.

After Saturday's action N.C. A&T still is in first place in the MEAC standings with a 2-0-1 record. S.C. State is in second place with a 3-1 mark while Morgan State has a 2-1-1 league worksheet. Howard's 2-1-1 family record is good for fourth place while North Carolina Central has a 1-1 mark. Maryland-Eastern Shore stands 1-3 and Delaware State is 1-4.

Two conference games will highlight the schedule in the MEAC this week. Morgan State (2-1, 3-2) will supply

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