

S.T.A.T. Notes- 03/04 show

Boston Celtics vs. Cleveland Cavaliers

Celtics

- Boston made 31% of its 3's in Saturday's 111-110 loss to the Rockets. The Celtics, who rank 11th in the NBA shooting 37% from 3, made a league-leading 41% of their 3's in February. Boston is 10-13 this season when it fails to make 35% of its 3's, and 31-5 otherwise.
- Jayson Tatum continued his stretch of big scoring numbers in the Celtics' loss to Houston, scoring 32 points on Saturday. In February, Tatum was 5th in the NBA in scoring at 30.7 points per game (averaging 23.5 ppg for the season)

Cavaliers

- Cleveland gave up 49% 3-point shooting in a 126-113 loss to the Jazz on Monday. The Cavaliers, who are 28th with a 38% opponent 3-point percentage, have allowed at least 39% shooting from deep in 3 of their last 4 losses.
- Collin Sexton scored a career-high 32 points on 11 for 17 shooting during the Cavaliers' loss to Utah on Monday. Sexton has scored more than 25 points and shot better than 50% from the field in 3 of his last 4 games (scoring at a 20.2 ppg clip on 46% shooting for the season).

Oklahoma City Thunder vs. Detroit Pistons

Thunder

- Oklahoma City had just 16 assists in Tuesday's 109-94 loss to the Clippers. The Thunder, who rank 28th in the NBA with 21.9 assists per game, have had less than 20 assists in their last 4 losses and are 10-9 on the year when that happens, as opposed to 27-14 when they have at least 20 assists.
- The Thunder were held to 94 points Tuesday against the Clippers. Oklahoma City, which ranks 20th in the NBA by scoring 110.6 points per game, have lost 10 of 11 games when it fails to reach 100 points (only win Dec. 29 @ TOR).

Pistons

- Detroit forced just 10 turnovers in its 106-100 loss to the Kings on Sunday. The Pistons, who rank 21st in the NBA with 14.0 opponent turnovers per game, have lost their last 7 games when opponents have less than 14 turnovers.
- Christian Wood had 20 points and 12 rebounds Sunday against Sacramento, his 11th double-double of the season. Wood is averaging 20.3 points and 10.4 rebounds over his last 9 games, with 6 double-doubles during this stretch.

Indiana Pacers vs. Milwaukee Bucks

Pacers

- Indiana shot 51% from the field during Monday's 116-111 win against the Spurs. The Pacers, who rank 3rd in the NBA by shooting 48% this season, have won their last 4 games and 20 of 26 games this season when they shoot at least 50% (17-18 when they don't).
- Malcolm Brogdon scored 26 points on 8 for 15 shooting in a win over San Antonio. The Pacers have won 15 of 19 games this season when Brogdon makes at least half of his shots. Brogdon is shooting 44% for the season.
- Indiana had 26 free throw attempts (23 makes) in a victory Monday over the Spurs. The Pacers, who rank last in the NBA with just 19.2 foul shots per game, have won their last 4 games when they shoot more than 20 free throws.

Bucks

- Milwaukee gave up 49% shooting from 3 in a loss to the Heat Monday. The Bucks, who are 18th in the NBA with 36% opponent 3-point shooting rate, have allowed at least 41% from deep in 6 of 9 losses this season.
- Khris Middleton scored 12 points on just 4 for 16 shooting as the Bucks lost to Miami on Monday. Five of the Bucks' 9 losses this season have come when Middleton shoots below 40% from the field, including a Feb. 12 loss to IND. Middleton is shooting a career-high 50% this season.
- Milwaukee had just 19 assists in its 105-89 loss to the Heat on Monday. The Bucks, who rank 7th in the NBA with 26.1 assists per game, have lost 3 of 5 contests this season when they fail to reach 20 assists, including their Feb. 12 game against IND.

Orlando Magic vs. Miami Heat

Magic

- Orlando gave up 49% shooting from 3 in Monday's 130-107 loss to the Trail Blazers. The Magic, who rank 24th in the NBA by allowing 37% shooting from deep, are giving up at least 39% 3-point shooting in 5 of their last 6 losses.
- Evan Fournier scored 13 points on 5 for 14 shooting in the Magic's loss to Portland Monday. The Magic have lost their last 6 games when Fournier makes less than 40% of his shots and are 2-10 this season when that happens. Fournier is shooting 47% this season, the best mark of his career since his rookie year with Denver in 2012-13 (49%).

Heat

- Miami allowed just 21% 3-point shooting in Monday's 105-89 win against the Bucks. The Heat, who rank 2nd in the NBA with 34% opponent 3-point accuracy (TOR is #1), is 25-4 this season when opponents shoot below 34% from deep.
- Jae Crowder had 18 points in the Heat's Monday victory over Milwaukee. In 10 games since joining Miami, Crowder has been in double figures 8 times and is averaging 14.2 points per game, compared to 9.9 points per game with Memphis.

Memphis Grizzlies vs. Brooklyn Nets

Grizzlies

- Memphis had 30 assists in a 127-88 win against the Hawks Monday. The Grizzlies, who lead the NBA with 27.1 assists per game, are 14-5 this season when they have at least 30 assists and have won their last 7 games when they reach this mark.
- Tyus Jones had 15 points (6 for 10 shooting) and 9 assists off the bench in the Grizzlies' win against Atlanta Monday. Memphis is 10-5 this season when Jones scores more than 10 points and 18-12 when he shoots at least 50% from the field. He is averaging 7.2 ppg on 47% shooting this season.

Nets

- Brooklyn gave up 31% 3-point shooting in a 129-120 OT win over the Celtics on Tuesday, breaking a 4-game losing streak. The Nets, who are 18th with 34% opponent 3-point percentage, were giving up 41% shooting from deep over their skid.
- Caris LeVert dropped a career-high 51 points (17 for 26 shooting) against Boston, with 37 of those points coming in the 4th quarter and OT (he scored all 11 of the Nets' OT points). The Nets are 6-4 when LeVert shoots at least 50% from the field, compared to 21-29 otherwise.

Utah Jazz vs. New York Knicks

Jazz

- Utah shot 49% from 3 in its 126-113 win Monday against the Cavaliers. The Jazz, who lead the NBA with a 39% 3-point mark, are shooting at least 48% from deep over the past 2 games, both wins. Utah is shooting 41% from 3 in wins and 36% in losses this season.
- Bogdan Bogdanovic scored 28 points in the Jazz's win over Cleveland Monday. Bogdanovic, averaging a career-high 20.5 points per game this season, has scored more than 20 points in 5 of Utah's last 6 wins.

Knicks

- New York had 26 assists in its 125-123 win over the Rockets on Monday. The Knicks, who rank 28th in the NBA with 21.9 assists per game, have had more than 25 assists in their last 3 games (winning the last 2).
- RJ Barrett tied a season-high with 27 points on 10 for 18 shooting against Houston, his 2nd straight game shooting better than 50%. The Knicks are 6-7 this season when Barrett makes at least half of his shots, significantly better than their 13-35 mark otherwise. Barrett is a 40% shooter this season.

Chicago Bulls vs. Minnesota Timberwolves

Bulls

- Chicago had 14 turnovers during Monday's 109-107 loss to the Mavericks. The Bulls, who rank 27th in the NBA with 15.6 turnovers per game, have had fewer than 15 turnovers in 5 of their last 6 wins.
- In his first game back since Nov. 6, Otto Porter scored 18 points while knocking down 3 of his 5 3's. The Bulls have won 3 of 4 games this season when Porter makes multiple 3's (only loss Nov. 5 vs. LAL). Porter is a career 41% 3-point shooter, and is shooting 42% from deep this year.

Timberwolves

- Minnesota had 11 steals in its 139-134 win over the Pelicans Tuesday. The Timberwolves, who rank 3rd in the NBA with 8.7 steals per game, are 7-6 this season when they notch at least 11 steals.
- Malik Beasley scored 28 points while going 4 for 5 from deep in the Timberwolves' win against New Orleans Tuesday. Since joining Minnesota, Beasley is shooting 47% from 3, compared to 39% when he was in Denver.

New Orleans Pelicans vs. Dallas Mavericks

Pelicans

- New Orleans allowed 56% shooting in a 139-134 Tuesday loss to the Timberwolves. The Pelicans, who rank 20th in the NBA with a 47% opponent field goal percentage, have given up at least 50% shooting in 3 of their last 4 losses.
- Zion Williamson scored 25 points and had 8 rebounds in the Pelicans' loss to Minnesota. Williamson won Western Conference Rookie of the Month in February, averaging 25.7 points and 6.2 rebounds per game and scoring at least 20 points in every game that month.
- New Orleans shot 36% from deep in its Tuesday loss to the Timberwolves. The Pelicans, who rank 3rd in the NBA by making 37% of its 3's, have not met that number in 5 of their last 6 losses.

Mavericks

- Dallas had 16 turnovers during Monday's 109-107 loss to the Bulls. The Mavericks, who rank 3rd in the NBA with 12.8 turnovers per game, have lost 7 of 10 games this season when they have more than 15 turnovers.
- While Luka Doncic scored 23 points in the Mavericks' loss to Chicago, he was 1 for 8 from 3. Doncic has not cleared 30% shooting from deep over his past 4 games and Dallas is 12-15 this season when he fails to make at least 30% of his 3's (compared to 25-10 when he clears that mark).
- Dallas allowed 47% shooting in a loss to the Bulls on Monday. The Mavericks, who are 10th in the NBA with a 45% opponent field goal percentage, have lost 7 of their last 8 games when opponents make more than 45% of their shots this season.

Washington Wizards vs. Portland Trail Blazers

Wizards

- Washington allowed the Kings to shoot 45% from 3 in its 133-126 loss on Tuesday. The Wizards, who rank 26th in the NBA with a 38% opponent 3-point percentage, are giving up more than 40% from 3 over their last 5 losses.
- Rui Hachimura scored 20 points on 6 for 9 shooting Tuesday against Sacramento. The rookie now has 4 straight games with at least 15 points and 50% shooting. He is averaging 13.9 ppg and shooting 49% for the season.

Trail Blazers

- Portland had 27 assists in Monday's 130-107 win against the Magic. The Trail Blazers, whose 20.0 assists rank last in the NBA, have won their last 4 games when they have at least 25 assists and are 6-3 this season.
- CJ McCollum tied a season-high (also on Feb. 23 vs. DET) with 41 points on 14 for 24 shooting against Orlando on Monday. Over his last 5 games, McCollum is averaging 34.6 points per game and the Trail Blazers are 8-2 this season when he scores at least 30 points (McCollum is averaging 22.5 ppg this season).