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## Recruits try out for team's high-flying tradition

First-time flier Pat Dechaine above, was bounced by a blanket while her friend who put her up for the tryout, Lauren Darling, took her photo. The St. Paul Bouncing Team was having its Winter Carnival tryout. At right, team veteran Christine Pearson and her son Joseph played on the blanket at Landmark Center on Friday evening. The team performs aerial acrobatics at events year-round and has been entertaining crowds for more than 120 years.

