



**PRAGUE CATHOLICS RALLY AROUND ARCHBISHOP**—Archbishop Josef Beran of Prague is surrounded by members of his diocese as he leaves ancient Strahov monastery in visit which marked end of his four-day semi-imprisonment in his Prague palace. The archbishop was driven from his throne in St. Vitus Cathedral by screaming hecklers, apparently Communists, as he voiced defiance to what he called the Czechoslovakian Communist government's attempt to split up the Roman Catholic church in his country. (AP Wirephoto via radio from London).

**'Getting Out On Bail' Procedure Involves Variety Of Conditions**

By CLARKE BEACH  
 WASHINGTON. Jumping bail can be pretty expensive, as in the Gerhart Eisler case, for the people who put up the bail. But the people who furnished Eisler's bail aren't in so bad a hole as they would have been once upon a time.

Eisler's bailers, the Civil Rights Congress, put up \$23,500, which the government is now in the process of seizing. Under old English law, bailers were personally responsible if the defendant was not on hand when the court demanded his presence. The bailers were jailed and were given whatever punishment would have been meted out to the defendant.

Now the only bail that is required is money or a bond. But the obligations and rights of bailers are still regarded very seriously by the courts. The bailer becomes, in effect, the jailer of the person for whom he has furnished a bail bond.

He can personally take him into custody any time he deems it necessary to assure the defendant's presence in court. If he thinks the man is preparing to flee he can put handcuffs on him and turn him over to the police. If the defendant has already fled the bailer can go after him and arrest him just like a policeman.

Most bailers are professional bondsmen — persons who make their living furnishing bail to de-

fendants in criminal cases. A lot of them get into trouble with the authorities from time to time for various abuses, such as loitering around courthouses and working in cahoots with shyster lawyers and corrupt policemen.

But many are respectable businessmen. And in almost all jurisdictions they have to be approved by the court before they can set up in business. The court must be satisfied not only that they are financially able to furnish bond but also that they are law-abiding, reputable citizens.

**Four Courses Open**  
 In any case they frequently offer the only hope of a prisoner's being released from jail pending his trial or appeal from conviction. If the judge won't release a prisoner on his own recognizance (meaning he doesn't have to furnish bail), he has few alternatives. If the court has said it will free him provided he furnishes a certain amount of bail (it is usually a matter for the court's discretion), he can do one of four things:

1. Deposit his own cash with the court or give the court a lien on any real estate he owns.
2. Get a friend or a friendly organization, such as the one Eisler used, to post cash or a bond.
3. Engage a professional bondsman.
4. Get a surety company to fur-

nish bail.

But surety companies very rarely provide bail in criminal cases. When they do, the defendant usually is a man with substantial means and of high reputation. He posts collateral with the company, and the company furnishes the court with a bond which will be forfeited if he skips.

As the surety companies work it, the transaction is in the nature of a loan, and isn't a very profitable business, as the maximum amount the company can charge in most jurisdictions is two percent.

**Bondsmen Well Informed**  
 Professional bondsmen sometimes charge up to 15 percent of the amount of the bond. Many jurisdictions set the maximum

charge at five percent.

When you want to get a professional bondsman to bail you out of jail, he'll often check on your record, see if you've ever been arrested before, see if you are holding a steady job, learn something about your general reputation and find out what property you own.

Many times, however, the bondsman is satisfied in the course of a half-hour interview. He is used to working with persons in the toils of the law and can size them up with uncanny accuracy.

If the bond isn't more than \$500 or \$1,000, and if the prisoner is an average citizen, he knows it is unlikely that the man will try to abscond. Even if the pris-

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oner is an underworld character, the bondsman often knows all about him and his associates. He knows what the man is likely to do, whether he will be a good risk, and if he jumps bail he knows where he can find him.

Bail jumping doesn't happen frequently. If it did, professional bondsmen could not stay in business. And many of them have flourished for years.

**OPPOSES CVA**  
 MEDFORD, June 22. — (AP) — Frank Van Dyke, speaker of the State House of Representatives, will be among Oregonians opposing CVA in Congressional hearings this week.

He left here last night for Washington, D. C. The trip is sponsored by the Southern Oregon Conservation and Tree Farm Association.

**WOOL NOTICE**  
**Southern Oregon Wool Pool**  
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