



A team were arrested returning from Charikot, Dolakha district on Thursday, 9<sup>th</sup> June 2016. And, convicted according to The Country Act of Nepal and Constitution Bill of Nepal subcategory 3 of heading no. 26.

Convicted of:

1. Teaching about Christianity in interactive way by informing the student about entertainment program
2. The distribution of book that contains the story related to Jesus and Bible. The program was organized by Teach Ministry Nepal who has been working in the child development telling stories in various forms like puppet show.

*The locals have been (i.e. the parents of the school children) police complaining about trying to forcefully convert from long time ago. But, the police were waiting for proof.*

According to the local Christian who is a small profitable business owner and church worker from Emmanuel Church Charikot, Dolakha: the seven victims are presented at court. 5 days' deadline is added before the victims are further sentenced. The local are not allowed to meet. The locals are waiting for the delegation team from Kathmandu to arrive. (Contacted on Saturday at 4 pm)

Different newspapers that published news relating to it

Newspaper	Heading
Annapurna Post (Nepali)	Seven arrested forced to make Christian
Kathmandu Post (English)	Seven held for 'proselytising' school kids
Kantipur (Nepali)	Charged against proselytizing student
Republica	2 school principals among 7 held for attempted conversion

**Victims:**

Teach-Nepal's representatives (the organization's office is located in Lalipur District, Nepal:

1. Banita Dangol (female)
2. BalKrishna Rai
3. Philip Tamang
4. Kiran Dahal
5. Bhim Bahadur Tamang

Mount Valley boarding's principal (it is a local school located in Dolakha):

1. Prakash Pradhan

Modern Nepal's principal (it is a local school located in Dolakha):

1. Bimal Shahi

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### Concerning Nepali Christian Group:

1. Federation of National Christian Nepal (FNCN)
2. Nepal Christian Society
3. Jana Jagarn Party Nepal

### Actions:

1. Delegation to the home ministry on 10<sup>th</sup> June 2016
2. Delegation team to Dolakha went and returned met the 7 victims in Police custody on Friday (10<sup>th</sup> June 2016)
3. Delegation to Dolakha from Kathmandu on Saturday (11<sup>th</sup> June 2016)
4. Informed the Nepalese churches and leaders to pray
5. Public Appeal
6. Informing all the Christians for Continue praying

### Pictures:



The principal of Mount Valley Prakash Pradhan denied telling to the journalist that the conviction (or, blame) saying that with the help of Teach Nepal, a training related to how to get relief of the stress left by earthquake only to the 30 – 35 Christian children. And, expressed ignorance about the book distributed.

The pictures shows bible, projector, cloths.

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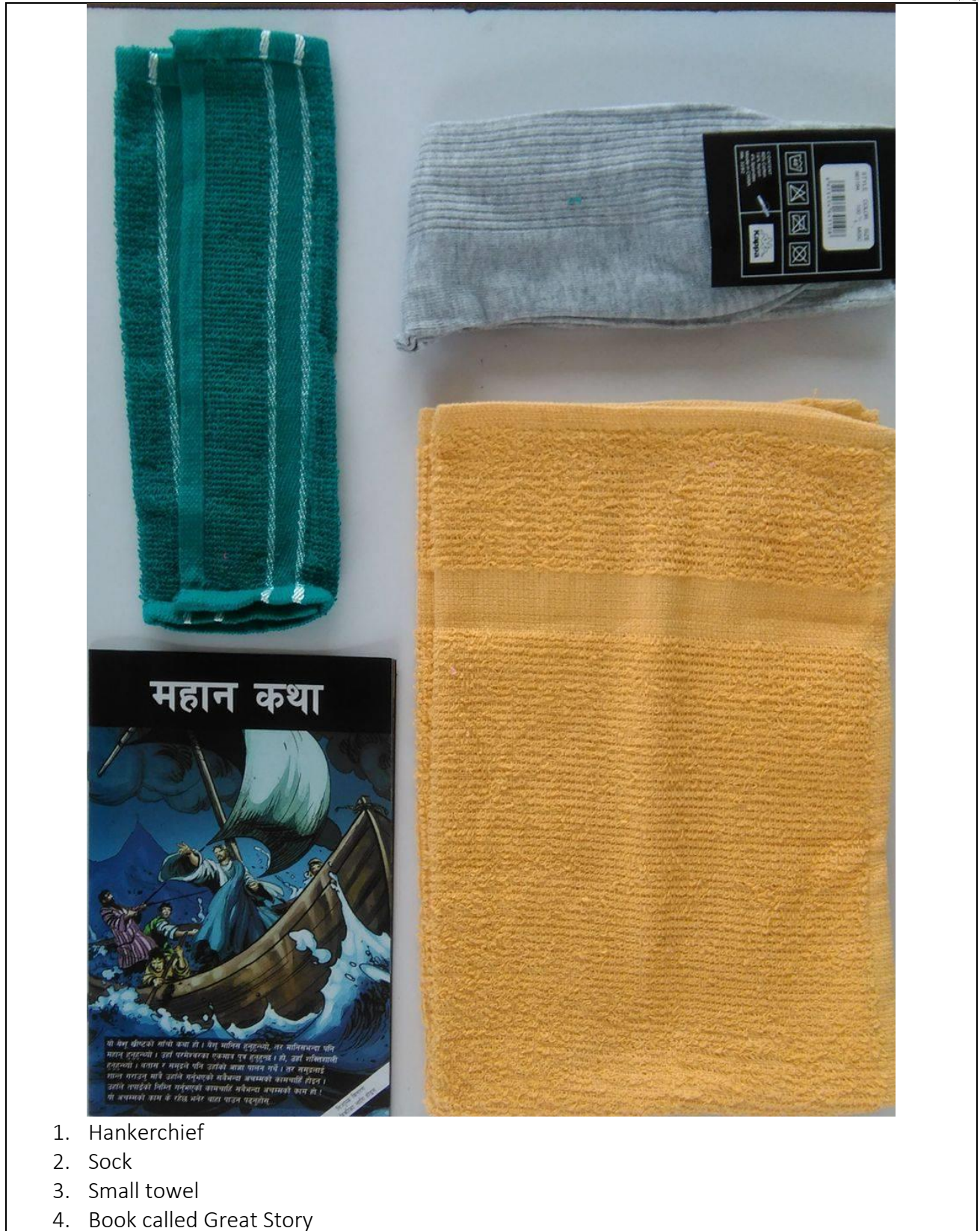
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The 7 victims are taken to the police custody as the locals are watching.

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**Possibility:**

According to the police the victims will be prisoned for 3 – 6 years based on The Country’s Law Court of no. 1 of 19.

**Purpose of this Report:** Sharing because we are one in Christ, For Prayers, and to Let you know that Console Mission concerns and working in the areas to strengthen the pastors to work strategically.

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