

OBJECT ID	2007.42.2.5.A
OBJECT NAME	Stocking
DATE CREATED	1950s
ALTERNATIVE NAME	Children's
MATERIAL	Wool
OBJECT ENTITIES	Vellos, Louis (owned by) O'Connell, Carolyn (is related to) Vellos, Louis (is related to)
ACCESS POINTS	Part of a Voustanella Stocking

OBJECT DESCRIPTION

One cream colored stocking.

Tightly knit cream colored cotton. Wider at the top and becomes narrow at the bottom. At the bottom there is a small white cotton strap that connects one side to the other. On one side of the stocking, halfway down, there is a small yellow/brown stain. There is also a small amount of black hair/fuzz throughout the stocking.

ORIGIN

The stocking was donated on behalf of Louis Vellos who brought the object from Greece in the early 1950s.

The stocking is part of a child's Foustanella. The Foustanella is the official uniform for the Evzones who are the Presidential Guards. The Foustanella is the official costum of men. The look includes a loose-fitting shirt, an embroidered vest, Fez hat, Tsarouxia (shoe), and fustanella which is a skirt-like garmet.

CITATION

Stocking, 1950s, *National Hellenic Museum*, https://collections.nationalhellenicmuseum.org/Detail/objects/. Accessed 03/29/24.