stocking

['stɒkɪŋ] *n* **1. чулок** elastic stocking - *мед.* эластичный чулок stocking stitch - чулочная вязка

he stands six feet in his stocking - он шести футов росту (без обуви)

in one's stocking soles /feet/ - в одних чулках, без обуви

2. pl чулки, отметинына ногах (лошади)

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stock-ing [stocking stockings] BrE ['stokin] NAmE ['stalk]n noun

1. either of a pair of thin pieces of clothing that fit closely over a woman's legs and feet

a pair of silk stockings

compare tights

see also [†]body stocking

- 2. = [†]Christmas stocking
 - I diom [↑]in your stocking feet

Word Origin: late 16th cent.: from ¹stock in the dialect sense 'stocking' + ¹-ing.

Example Bank:

- I 'veipped my stockings again.
- Santa will be filling the stockings at Christmas time.
- She laddered her stocking on a bramble bush.
- She slowly peeled off one stocking.
- The stockings were hung by the chimney.
- This book is a light-hearted Christmas stocking filler/stuffer.
- trinkets you can use to fill a Christmas stocking

stocking

stocking /'stoking \$ 'stal/ BrE AmE noun [countable usually plural]

[Date: 1500-1600, Origin: stock 'stocking' (15-19 centuries)]

- 1. a thin close-fitting piece of clothing that covers a woman's leg and foot ⇒ tights
- 2. *old-fashioned* a man's sock
- 3. in your stockinged/stocking feet not wearing any shoes

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