

National Bank of Searsport Building (Hard!)

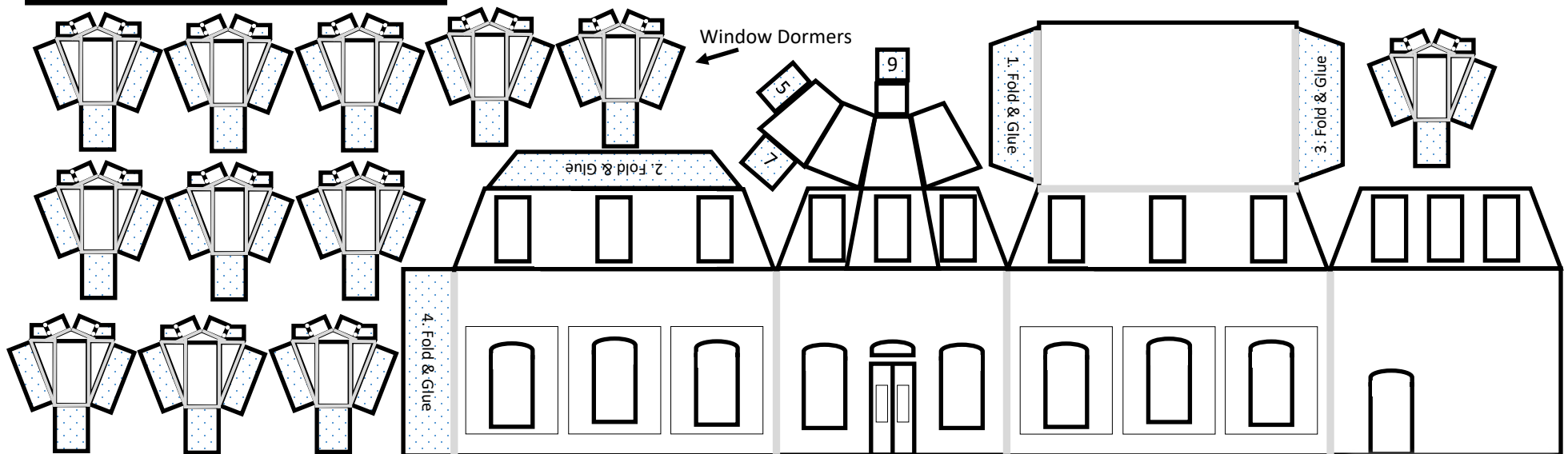
Second Empire Architecture

(approx. 1860s-1890s)

- Mansard Roof with colorful slate shingles
- Arched & pedimented windows
- Paired brackets supporting eaves

Built in 1891, the National Bank of Searsport building was later the Merrill Trust Bank building. Its Second Empire architecture makes it one of the most distinctive buildings on Main St. in Searsport. It continued to be a bank until the 1970s.

As you drive around town, what other Second Empire-style buildings do you see?



Instructions:

1. Color the building & add festive decorations
2. Cut out along the outside black lines of the building
3. Fold along the gray lines.
4. Secure into a building shape by gluing the flaps to the back of the walls.
5. **Stop here for a simpler project.** To add window dormers, cut out along the outside black lines and snip the dotted lines at the top. Fold along the gray lines. Glue the dormers into the window spaces on the second floor.

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