

9. Rich Steinmann's Netcong-Stanhope Station



The building is based on a prototype structure in Netcong, NJ on the Erie-Lackawanna Railroad. The lower-level track is the Sussex Branch and the upper level track is the Old Main (to Washington, N.J.) The building is scratch-built. Walls were cut from Evergreen styrene sheet. Grant Line windows were modified as appropriate to match the prototype, including the small windows in the bay. The walls were covered with brick styrene sheets. The roof was constructed with a styrene sheet base covered with Builders in Scale shingles. The exterior rafters were cut from styrene strip and placed as in the prototype. I developed drawings of the roof supports which Bryan Kidd used to cut from .010 styrene sheet using a Cricut machine. Each roof support is three layers laminated to match the thickness of the prototype supports. These were painted white and installed on the building. Signage was created using 1965 vintage Broadway and movie posters found on the internet and the station sign was printed based on prototype photos. *Rich Steinmann, MMR*