

The Frontier

When the first settlers arrived in the Northwest Territory there were no roads or houses. They had to cut down trees in the forest to make roads to get to the land they had purchased. When they finally got to their land they had to clear it in order to build their houses and then clear more to make fields for the crops that would feed them and their livestock. They built log cabins from the trees they cut down while clearing their lots.

Because they couldn't go to the store to buy items they would need they had to bring them with them from their old homes.

What are some of the things they would have brought with them?

