New Transportation Technology

Directions: Read pages 308-313 to fill in the chart below.

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| **Daniel Boone and the Wilderness Road**1. Who was Daniel Boone?2. What gap through the mountains did he explore? |
| **Building Roadways**3. What parts of the country did the National Road connect? |
| **Traveling on Rivers/ The Clermont’s First Voyage**4. What were two big drawbacks of river travel?5. Who was Robert Fulton? What was the Clermont?6. How did steamboats create a new age of river travel? |
| **The Erie Canal**7. Who built the Erie Canal?8. What two bodies of water did the canal connect?  |
| **Canal Travel Expands**9. How did canals affect shipping costs?10. How did canals impact the towns along their route?  |