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1914 Demonstration Farm to teach settlers about

suitable crops in this Northern district
Soldiers and sailors from first war who wished to
farm came here to study farm methods

It was a large Bldg known as a Demonstration
Building and a large Barn and silo for cattle
and feed. A house was built for the keeper.

Note - First Barn built by Milton Stover & sons
of Matheson (same Bldg in operation in 1982)

First Farm Manager - Mr John Whetton
Second - Mr Harry Johnston

In 1918 at close of world war a training school
was established known as "Soldiers and Sailors
School" it took in veterans who wished to farm in
Northern Ont.

After this purpose was served it was decided
to turn the buildings into an Academy