

The best article on Mennonites and wheat is

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See also:

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Saul, Norman E. "Myth and History: Turkey Red Wheat and the 'Kansas Miracle'," *Heritage of the Great Plains* 22 (summer 1989): 1-13