

MORE DATA ON TYPHOON SEE:

N.B.. #4 p. 128 and ff. major and minor damages; people who moved out of the village

N.B.. # 3 p. 105 and ff. continuation of diary after the typhoon

AFTER TYPHOON: UNEMPLOYMENT AS FARMERS

Piling

7-2-76

Instant farmers:

Wilin said many people in Umatac have declared themselves as farmers so they can draw unemployment from the Disaster centers;; "I have never seen so many farmers in Umatac until this present time.

I was talking to Vicenta and she said she has asked for unemployment, she has her farm behind her house.

Jesus "Big" told me he could not collect unemployment for farming because he is receiving G.O.G. retirement. But he said: Piling is receiving it and Arriola said he is going to fight it as a test case; I have to think about it first."

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EFFECTS OF TYPHOON PAMELA

Carmen Charfauros' sister

9-25-76

in parts of the island; do not know how much of this in Umatac;
 - students transferring from private --public schools because of higher tuition; parents because of the typhoon in no position to pay this cause need the money to build the house.

SOCIAL EFFECTS OF PAMELA

7-25-76

1. people moving out of the village to temporary housing
 --exposure to the other side of the island
2. people thinking of more permanent homes
3. people forced to become familiar with
 --red cross
 --grants like S.B.A.
4. more communication with other villages i.e. Sinajana Inarajan due to the center there; trips to S.B.A.
5. more parties due to the availability of food stamps; free food.
6. use of local resources i.e. electrician; counselling by Ben
7. MORE FARMING
8. MOBILITY AND TRIPS TO THE U.S.A. due to money being available
9. village competition on account of amount of help received
10. migration to the U.S.A.
11. young people earning good money in summer jobs
12. overtime in jobs espe. those in G.P.A., the Navy more \$ to spend.
13. children sent to the States due to the poor conditions of the schools which have been emphasized as a result of the destruction of schools during Pamela.
14. building of houses w/ cement foundations (see Laeada)
15. Houses rebuilt show improvement over pre-typhoon (Joe & Tita; Laeada)
16. New items available: tents; plastic material to cover roof; "plastic" spous at Ben's kick-off rally - 4