# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

#### **SCHEDULE 13D**

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No. )\*

#### Farmer Bros. Co.

(Name of Issuer)

#### Common Stock, \$1.00 par value

(Title of Class of Securities)

#### 307675108

(CUSIP Number)

Lawrence A. Oberman Trigran Investments, Inc. 630 Dundee Road Suite 230 Northbrook, IL 60062 847-656-1640

(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)

#### March 30, 2020

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

If the filing person has previously filed a statement on Schedule 13G to report the acquisition that is the subject of this Schedule 13D, and is filing this schedule because of §§240.13d-1(e), 240.13d-1(f) or 240.13d-1(g), check the following box. x

**Note**: Schedules filed in paper format shall include a signed original and five copies of the schedule, including all exhibits. See Rule 13d-7 for other parties to whom copies are to be sent.

\* The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required on the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

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Item 1.

This Schedule 13D relates to the shares of Common Stock, \$1.00 par value per share ("Common Stock"), of Farmer Bros. Co., a Delaware corporation (the "Issuer") whose principal executive office is located at 1912 Farmer Brothers Drive, Northlake, Texas 76262.

#### Item 2. IDENTITY AND BACKGROUND

(a-f) (a) Name of Person Filing

- (b) Address of Principal Business Office or, if none, Residence
- (f) Citizenship

Trigran Investments, Inc. 630 Dundee Road, Suite 230 Northbrook, Illinois 60062 Illinois company

**SECURITY AND ISSUER** 

Douglas Granat 630 Dundee Road, Suite 230 Northbrook, Illinois 60062 U.S. Citizen

Lawrence A. Oberman 630 Dundee Road, Suite 230 Northbrook, Illinois 60062 U.S. Citizen

Steven G. Simon 630 Dundee Road, Suite 230 Northbrook, Illinois 60062 U.S. Citizen

Bradley F. Simon 630 Dundee Road, Suite 230 Northbrook, Illinois 60062 U.S. Citizen

Steven R. Monieson 630 Dundee Road, Suite 230 Northbrook, Illinois 60062 U.S. Citizen

- c) Trigran Investments, Inc. is the investment manager to and general partner of Trigran Investments, L.P. ("L.P.") and Trigran Investments, L.P. II ("L.P.II") (collectively, the "Funds"), each of which is a private investment limited partnership, and the investment manager to a limited number of separately managed accounts (each a "Managed Account" and collectively the "Managed Accounts"). Douglas Granat, Lawrence A. Oberman, Steven G. Simon, Bradley F. Simon and Steven R. Monieson are the controlling shareholders and/or sole directors of Trigran Investments, Inc. and thus may be considered the beneficial owners of the Common Stock beneficially owned by Trigran Investments, Inc. Each of the Reporting Persons disclaims beneficial ownership of the Common Stock except to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein.
- (d)-(e) None of the Reporting Persons have (i) been convicted in a criminal proceeding (excluding traffic violations or similar misdemeanors); or (ii) been a party to a civil proceeding of a judicial or administrative body of competent jurisdiction where as a result of such proceeding was or is subject to a judgment, decree or final order enjoining future violations of, or prohibiting or mandating activities subject to federal or state securities laws or finding any violation with respect to such laws.

#### Item 3. SOURCE AND AMOUNT OF FUNDS OR OTHER CONSIDERATION

Funds for the purchase of the Common Stock were derived from the working investment capital of the Funds and the Managed Accounts. A total of \$49,866,301 was paid to acquire all of the shares of Common Stock reported herein.

The Common Stock was acquired in the ordinary course of the Funds' and Managed Accounts' business and is held by each of the foregoing in separate accounts maintained for each of them by their respective prime brokers or custodians.

#### Item 4. PURPOSE OF TRANSACTION

(a-j) The Common Stock has been acquired for investment in the ordinary course of the Reporting Persons' investment activities and has not been acquired with any purpose of, or with the effect of, changing or influencing the control of the Issuer, or in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect. Reporting Persons Trigran Investments, Inc., Douglas Granat, Lawrence A. Oberman, Steven G. Simon, Bradley F Simon and Steven R. Monieson have previously filed Schedules 13G with regard to their holdings of securities of the Issuer.

The Issuer and the Reporting Persons determined that it would be mutually beneficial to have more in-depth conversations with respect to certain business matters of the Issuer. As a result, the Reporting Persons have determined it to be appropriate to file this report on Schedule 13D.

Certain of the Reporting Persons have had and may continue to have discussions with the Company's management and members of the board of directors (the "Board") to discuss the Company's business, strategies and other matters related to the Company.

The Reporting Persons intend to review their investment in the Company on a continuing basis. Depending on various factors, including, without limitation, the outcome of any discussions referenced above, the Company's financial position and strategic direction, actions taken by the Board, price levels of the Common Stock, other investment opportunities available to the Reporting Persons, conditions in the securities market and general economic and industry conditions, the Reporting Persons may from time to time and in the future take any actions with respect to the investment in the Company as they deem appropriate, including considering, proposing or otherwise engaging in one or more of the actions described in subsection (a) through (j) of Item 4 of Rule 13d-101 promulgated under the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

#### Item 5. INTEREST IN SECURITIES OF THE ISSUER

- (a-b) Incorporated by reference to Items (7) (11) and (13) of the cover page relating to each Reporting Person.
- (c) In the sixty days prior to the date of filing of this Schedule 13D, the Reporting Persons purchased shares of the Issuer's Common Stock in open market transactions. A list of those transactions is provided below. Other than as described herein, no Reporting Person and, to the best of each Reporting Person's knowledge, no executive officer or director of such Reporting Person, has engaged in any transaction during the past 60 days in any shares of the Issuer's Common Stock.

	Number of shares of	Price per	
<b>Transaction Date</b>	Common Stock	share (\$)	Note
	Purchased	(18)	
2/3/2020	11,857	11.8781	(1)
2/4/2020	9,348	11.7593	(2)
2/4/2020	10,000	11.8000	
2/5/2020	1,436	11.6302	(3)
2/25/2020	9,915	12.8701	(4)
2/26/2020	6,623	12.7500	
2/27/2020	5,000	12.4200	
2/28/2020	6,431	12.1206	(5)
3/2/2020	18,274	12.1560	(6)
3/3/2020	10,000	12.1454	(7)
3/3/2020	6,348	12.2619	(8)
3/4/2020	3,456	12.2997	(9)
3/5/2020	6,621	12.1034	(10)
3/9/2020	6,000	11.3281	(11)
3/11/2020	34,313	10.1531	(12)
3/12/2020	11,920	9.1220	(13)
3/16/2020	3,000	8.0000	
3/17/2020	965	7.4294	(14)
3/18/2020	6,000	7.6248	(15)
3/19/2020	1,993	6.0976	(16)
3/20/2020	5,000	7.0600	(17)
3/23/2020	5,000	6.8700	

- (1) The price reported represents a weighted average price. The shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$11.87 to \$11.88, inclusive.
- (2) The price reported represents a weighted average price. The shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$11.72 to \$11.80, inclusive.
- (3) The price reported represents a weighted average price. The shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$11.60 to \$11.65, inclusive.
- (4) The price reported represents a weighted average price. The shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$12.84 to \$12.90, inclusive.
- (5) The price reported represents a weighted average price. The shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$12.00 to \$12.20, inclusive.
- (6) The price reported represents a weighted average price. The shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$12.10 to \$12.18, inclusive.
- (7) The price reported represents a weighted average price. The shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$12.14 to \$12.15, inclusive.
- (8) The price reported represents a weighted average price. The shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$12.00 to \$12.30, inclusive.
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- (10) The price reported represents a weighted average price. The shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$11.96 to \$12.15, inclusive.
- (11) The price reported represents a weighted average price. The shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$11.26 to \$11.40, inclusive.
- (12) The price reported represents a weighted average price. The shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$9.82 to \$10.52, inclusive.
- (13) The price reported represents a weighted average price. The shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$8.69 to \$9.26, inclusive.
- (14) The price reported represents a weighted average price. The shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$7.40 to \$7.44, inclusive.
- (15) The price reported represents a weighted average price. The shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$7.60 to \$7.65, inclusive.
- (16) The price reported represents a weighted average price. The shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$6.00 to \$6.20, inclusive.
- (17) The price reported represents a weighted average price. The shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$6.92 to \$7.08, inclusive.
- (18) The Reporting Persons undertake to provide upon request to the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, full information regarding the number of shares purchased at each separate price for each of the dates set forth in the table.

Owners of accounts managed by Trigran Investments, Inc. have or may have the right to receive or the power to direct the receipt of dividends from, or the proceeds from the sale of, securities of the Issuer held in those accounts. No such account has such power with respect to more than five percent of the class of securities to which this Schedule 13D relates.

(e) Not Applicable

## Item 6. CONTRACTS, ARRANGEMENTS, UNDERSTANDINGS OR RELATIONSHIPS WITH RESPECT TO SECURITIES OF THE ISSUER

On April 1, 2020, the Reporting Persons entered into a Joint Filing Agreement in which the Reporting Persons agreed to the joint filing on behalf of each of them of statements on Schedule 13D with respect to securities of the Issuer, to the extent required by applicable law. A copy of this agreement is attached hereto as Exhibit 1.

#### Item 7. MATERIAL TO BE FILED AS EXHIBITS

Exhibit 1: Joint Filing Agreement

#### **SIGNATURES**

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated this 1st day of April, 2020

/s/ Steven R. Monieson Steven R. Monieson

#### TRIGRAN INVESTMENTS, INC.

By:	/s/ Lawrence A. Oberman					
Name:	Lawrence A. Oberman					
Title:	Executive Vice President and Director					
/s/ Doug	las Granat					
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/s/ Lawr	ence A. Oberman					
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/s/ Steve	n G. Simon					
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### INDEX TO EXHIBITS

EXHIBIT 1: Joint Filing Agreement 1

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#### **EXHIBIT 1 TO SCHEDULE 13D**

APRIL 1, 2020

In accordance with Rule 13d-1(k)(1) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, TRIGRAN INVESTMENTS, INC., DOUGLAS GRANAT, LAWRENCE A. OBERMAN, STEVEN G. SIMON, BRADLEY F. SIMON and STEVEN R. MONIESON each hereby agree to the joint filing of this statement on Schedule 13D (including any and all amendments hereto). In addition, each party to this Agreement expressly authorizes each other party to this Agreement to file on its behalf any and all amendments to such Statement on Schedule 13D. A copy of this Agreement shall be attached as an exhibit to the Statement on Schedule 13D filed on behalf of each of the parties hereto, to which this Agreement relates.

This Agreement may be executed in multiple counterparts, each of which shall constitute an original, one and the same instrument.

#### TRIGRAN INVESTMENTS, INC.

By:	/s/ Lawrence A. Oberman					
Name:	Lawrence A. Oberman					
Title:	Executive Vice President and Director					
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