GLENN BARTHOLOMEW

The village has been stunned this past few days by the sudden death of two of its well known and highly respected young men. Glen Bartholomew, 25, of 415 Taylor Street and Warren Francis Twydell, of East Avon Road.

A flash fire which resulted from the igniting of cleaning fluid during the cleansing of the Sunoco Station floor, Dec. 11, left the young men with severe first, second and third degree burns from which they succumbed with in 15 minutes of each other early Saturday morning. They were taken to St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, Pontiac.

Glenn Bartholomew was the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Bartholomew and had lived practically all his life in Rochester, attending school here and was active in sports. His wife, Shirley and young daughter, Susanne K., also survive him, as well as one sister, Mrs. Marna Adam and one brother, Myron.

Glen served with the Armed Forces during WWII from 1942 until January 16, 1946. He was a member of the 375th Quartermaster Truck Company.

Military services wee conducted from the A. C. Hobart Chapel with the Rochester Area Veterans' council officiating. The V.F.W. ritual was used. The Rev. W. H. Collycott read the service and burial was in the Mt. Avon Cemetery.

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