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The Department of External Affairs announced today that the two scholarships offered to the Canadian Government by the Federal Republic of Germany for the academic year 1956-57 have been won by Mr. Ivo W. Lambi of Toronto and Mr. Alexander Farrell of Halifax.

The successful candidates were selected by the Awards Committee of the Royal Society of Canada in co-operation with the Embassy of the Federal Republic of Germany. Each Scholarship is valued at 3,600 D M (about \$900.00 Canadian) and includes free tuition and free transportation from the German border to the place of study in Germany and return to the German border.

Mr. Lambi was born in Tallinn, Esthonia. He arrived in Canada in 1949 and became a Canadian citizen in 1954. He received his M.A. degree in February 1955 from the University of Toronto. Mr. Lambi, who is now studying at the University of Minnesota intends to complete his Ph.D. dissertation at the University of Hamburg.

Mr. Farrell was born in New Glasgow, Nova Scotia. He learned German in Moncton, N.B., with a family who had emigrated to Canada from Bremen. During his first year at the University of King's College, he received a Silver Medal issued that year by the West German Government to commemorate the 150th anniversary of Schiller's death. He plans to undertake advanced studies in German literature and finally to teach German.

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