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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 1955-56 have been won by Mr. John R. Goobie and Mr. Otto Siebenmann, both of Toronto.

The successful candidates were selected by the Awards Committee of the Royal Society of Canada in collaboration with the Embassy of the Federal Republic of Germany. Each scholarship is valued at three thousand Deutsche mark (about \$700 Canadian) and includes free tuition and free transportation to and from the place of study and the German border.

Mr. Goobie is twenty-four and was born in Corner Brook, Newfoundland. Since 1949 he has studied piano at the Royal Conservatory of Music in Toronto and the Western Ontario Conservatory of Music in London, and has taken part in recitals in Toronto. Mr. Siebenmann is twenty-two and was born in Toronto. He graduated this year from the University of Toronto and intends to go to Munich to pursue his studies in philosophy and German literature and history.
