



DENALI NAME CHANGE DELAYED — The U.S. Board of Geographic Names has ducked the issue of officially changing the name of Mt. McKinley to Mt. Denali, the traditional Indian name for North America's highest peak. After a brief discussion, the committee put off the decision for seven months, or until Congress acts if they should choose to do so in the interim. Senator Stevens of Alaska, in a letter to

the committee, has urged that hearings be held in Alaska, not only in Utah and Washington, D.C. as they have been. The Ohio delegation has been outspoken in its efforts to retain the McKinley name, because McKinley came from that state. However, letters regarding the name change have been reportedly about 70 per cent in favor of restoring the traditional Athabascan name Denali, meaning the "Great One."