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Mountmellick, County Queens (Laoise)

Mountmellick Monthly Meeting of the Quakers was established here in 1659. Their cemetery was nearby at Rosenallis.

Joseph Fisher of Rosenallis married Isabela Newmarch at Mountmellick Monthly Meeting in 1671. They moved to Dublin County, then went to Pennsylvania in 1683.

More recently, girls at the Quaker school at Mountmellick produced a distinctive form of needlework called Mountmellick Work, or "Mellick Work" for short. Examples were on display at this shop in 2004. Janice Fisher is shown at the shop.