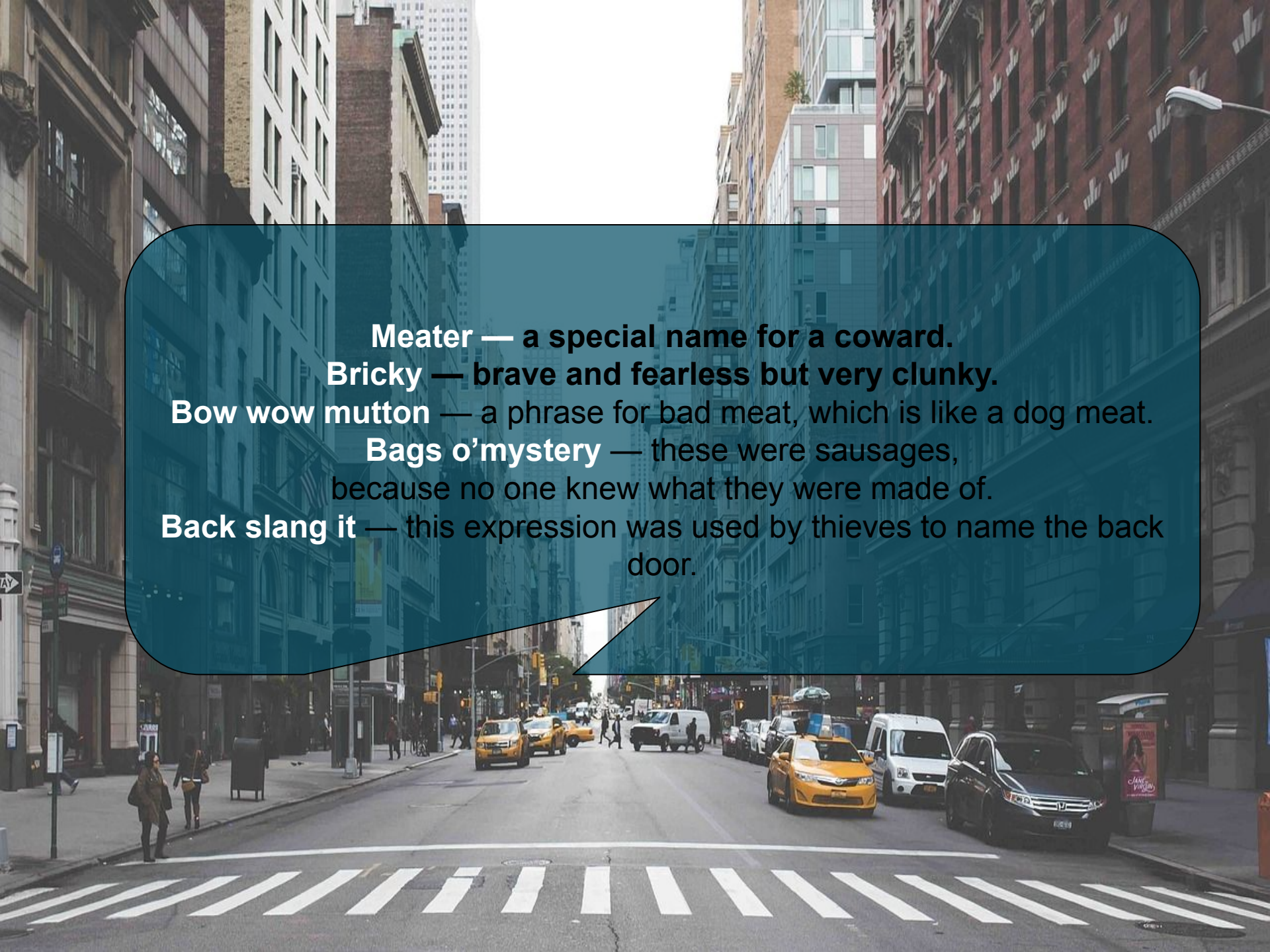


English slang in the 19th century





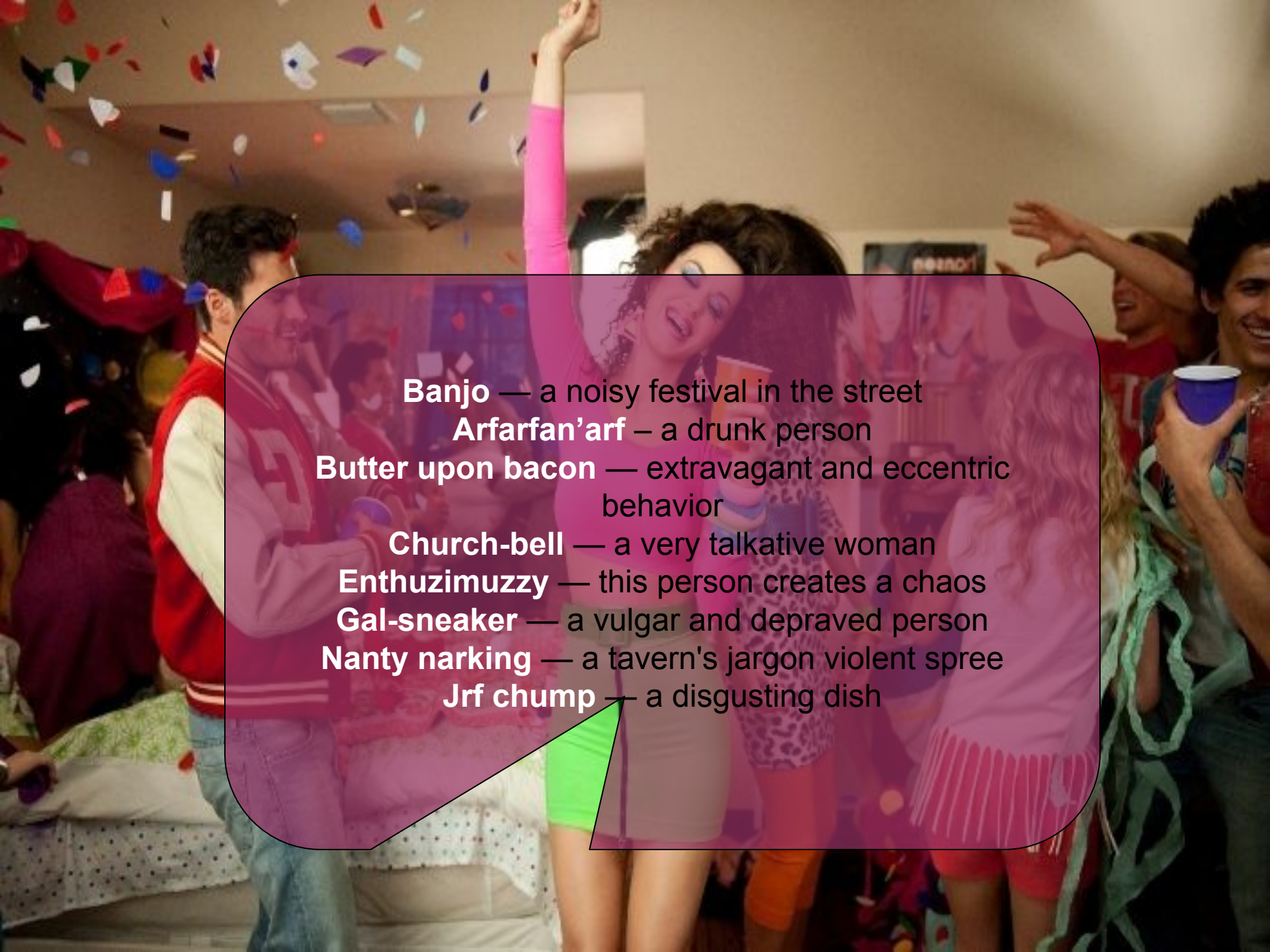
Meater — a special name for a coward.

Bricky — brave and fearless but very clunky.

Bow wow mutton — a phrase for bad meat, which is like a dog meat.

Bags o'mystery — these were sausages, because no one knew what they were made of.

Back slang it — this expression was used by thieves to name the back door.



Banjo — a noisy festival in the street

Arfarfan'arf — a drunk person

Butter upon bacon — extravagant and eccentric behavior


Church-bell — a very talkative woman

Enthuzimuzzy — this person creates a chaos

Gal-sneaker — a vulgar and depraved person

Nanty narking — a tavern's jargon violent spree

Jrf chump — a disgusting dish



Dizzy age — this phrase ment a woman, who hasn't got a family
Lammiest bits of jam — a girl of a model look
Doing the bear — courtship, which includes hugs
Band up to the elephant — something magnificent and gorgeous
Fifteen puzzle — confused and puzzled person
Damfino — this creative cuss is a contraction of «damned if I know»
Chuckaboo — friends named each other with this word