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From report by Clifton Daniel on Nixon news conference  
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..... Not only did he remember the last name of one of five [?] American prisoners held in China - John T. Downey - but he was also able to recall the length of his sentence - 30 years, commuted to five. He also knew, and said for the first time, that Mr. Downey was an agent of the Central Intelligence Agency. (Question 15.)

Background story on Downey by Eric Pace, NYTimes 1 Feb 73, China file.